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WEATHER FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity—Cloudy to overcast, with light rain in afternoon and evening. Fresh southwesterly winds becoming strong southeasterly in the afternoon.

Yesterday's Temperatures—Maximum, 52; minimum, 43; maximum on the grass, 40. Precipitation—.01 inches.

Sunshine Yesterday—3 hours, 46 minutes.

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Province to Spend $5,000,000 for Modernizing Roads

Similar Sum for Maintenance Work Announced by Anscomb in Legislature

British Columbia this year will spend $5,000,000 on a program of highway reconstruction to bring existing roads up to modern standards, Hon. Herbert Anscomb, Minister of Public Works, announced in the Legislature yesterday.

This will be in addition to $9,000,000 for road maintenance and part of a total public works expenditure of $22,500,000 during the current year.

"Mr. Anscomb, whose hour and a half speech answered most if not all of the questions so far asked in the House as to what the Government is going to do about roads, summarized the current year's intended expenditures as follows:

1. Uncompleted contracts already entered into, approximately $600,000.

2. Kootenay Lake ferry, road and landings, $750,000.

3. Peace River connection, $6,000,000.

4. Hope-Princeton highway, $3,000,000.

5. Machinery and equipment, $500,000.

6. Maintenance, $9,000,000.

7. New loan, capital development, $5,000,000.

Commenting that he had been quoted as stating he favored borrowing $50,000,000 for road work in the Province, the Minister said:

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Nations Seek Speedy Loans

SAVANNAH, Ga., March 8 (AP).—The International Monetary Conference opened its flag-decked Savannah today amid indications that several dollar-starved countries might seek loans from the new World National bank before this, its brief two-week inaugural session, closes.

High United States delegates said they expected that The Netherlands, France, Czecho-Slovakia and China, along with one or more Balkan states, might bid for loans.

From Latin-American delegations came hints that the American republics would fight for equal treatment in borrowing, for the development of industries.

Peru intends to seek a loan as soon as possible, said the former Peruvian Finance Minister, Carlos Montero Bernales.

Prairie Cattle Are "Diverted"

VANCOUVER, March 8 (CP).—Prairie cattle are being "diverted" from possible British Columbia markets to Eastern black market operators buying at increased prices, Richard J. Burns, Vancouver manager of Burns & Company, packers, stated tonight.

Coupled with a quota system restricting British Columbia packing firms to 1940-41 volume, this may mean an "increasingly lighter supply situation in Summer and Fall, worse than any experienced before," he said in an interview.

From Europe — Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

News and Comment on International Events selected from The Times and published in The Daily Colonist by special arrangement with The Vancouver Daily Province.

LONDON, March 8. — Persian Prime Minister Qavam Es Sultani is disappointed over Moscow (this says The Times' diplomatic correspondent) today.

Evidently Soviet terms were too stiff for him to negotiate, although he was made Premier largely because he was foreseen among Persian politicians as trying hard for agreement with the Soviet.

Beyond, the demand that Russian troops be retained in Northern Persia, the correspondent adds, it is clear the Russians wanted oil concessions and acknowledgement of full sovereignty for Azerbaijan.

There is no doubt further efforts will be made from the Persian side to reach an agreement, but at the moment there appears no prospect of success, and if no progress is made, the whole matter may revert to the Security Council.

Qavam returns to a capital which is facing major difficulties. Tudeh Party demonstrations against any proposal to extend the life of the present Parliament continued more violently yesterday. The administration is caught in many practical obstacles—the northern provinces still cut off from the rest. It is hatless and dangerous plight.

The Times expressed editorial concern over "remarkable difficulties of responsibility which is apparently to prevail with regard to British broadcasting and publicity abroad."

Four ministers will be concerned with B.B.C., and overseas publicity generally will reflect this present wasteful dispersal among departments of functions which should properly be brought together under a single head and director.

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Close Guard Enforced on All Shipping

Britain's Action to Prevent Liner Fires

SOUTHAMPTON, England, March 8 (Reuters).—Full weight of Britain's protective service moved tonight to prevent further outbreaks of fire in liners using British ports, following a two-hour blaze today in the 85,000-ton Cunard-White Star liner Queen Elizabeth.

Police strongly suspected sabotage. The national fire service and shipping officials investigated the mysterious outbreak.

Patrols were strengthened on every township in the Southampton Docks and there was speculation that troops might be called in to guard the Queen Elizabeth's sister ship, the Queen Mary, due tomorrow.

Close contact was being maintained between Scotland Yard and the police authorities at both Southampton and Liverpool.

The isolation hospital on the Queen Elizabeth broke out in flames while the ship lay at her pier.

Spy Inquiry House Topic

First reference in the British Columbia Legislature to Canada's "spy ring" came yesterday from Herbert Gargrave, C.C.F. whip, who alleged that an attempt was being made in the Dominion to mould public opinion against the Soviet Union.

"We do not condone the actions of Canadians who have sold secrets to other nations," he said. "They should be tried, and if guilty, punished.

"As far as the Soviet Union is concerned, it appears to have only been following out what seems to be an international practice of collecting information."

International espionage, Mr. Gargrave continued, was one of the most regrettable features of world affairs, that could only be abolished by a strong and fearless United Nations organization.

"The actions of the Soviet Union on this spy question are certainly not commendable, but they do not warrant anti-Soviet poison being spread in North America," the member for Mackenzie asserted.

New Cargo Liner Docks in Canada

SAINT JOHN, N.B., March 8 (CP).—The first of a speedy new line, the Canadian Mariner, cargo liner built for Canada, docked in Saint John today on her maiden voyage from Liverpool, England, in seven days, ten hours and 54 minutes.

The voyage relinquished the Canadian Pacific's fast freight service between the United Kingdom and Canada interrupted by the war. Three sister ships are under construction in Scotland to replace the five Beaver ships lost during the war.

All Escape Injury In Forced Landing

EDMONTON, March 8 (CP).—Four persons escaped serious injury yesterday when the two-engined Wasp aircraft, in which they were flying from Bakersfield, Calif., to Fairbanks, Alaska, was heavily damaged in a forced landing nine miles southwest of Edmonton, Mayor Harold Phillips, Bakersfield, pilot of the craft, reported here today.

Man Collapses After Shooting

VANCOUVER, March 8 (CP).—Arthur Cain, 37, of Vancouver, collapsed from fright tonight after Police Constable R. Brander fired two shots in the air to halt him. He was charged with attempted theft of an automobile.

Canadian Admiral Awarded Legion of Merit

Vice-Admiral Howard Emerson Reid, R.C.N., chief of naval staff of the Royal Canadian Navy, was awarded the Legion of Merit, degree of commander by Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, U.S.N., chief of U.S. naval operations, at a ceremony in the admiralty quarters, naval observatory, Washington, D.C. Admiral Reid was cited for outstanding service to the government of the United States while serving as a member of the joint board of defence, as flag officer, Newfoundland force, and as naval member of the Canadian joint staff mission.

Question of Franco May Go to Council

LONDON, March 8 (CP).—Despite opposition of other major powers, Russia may bring the whole question of Franco Spain before the United Nations Security Council at its next session, opening in New York March 21.

It is generally felt here that any long-term plan to oust Francisco Franco involves the winning of some support from the Spanish Army, foundation of the dictator's power.

The Soviet Union is lined up with France on the latter's proposal to submit the question to the Security Council as a threat to international security.

While the United States has not been heard from, Britain maintains Spain is no such threat, and it would be a misuse of the council to discuss it there.

There will be much diplomatic negotiation before the council convenes to decide if consideration of Spain was covered in the charter of the United Nations, of which she is not a member. Russia may take this step particularly because the recent joint declaration by United States, Britain and France criticizing the Franco regime fell so flat.

The mildly-worded declaration met criticism in Britain with the influential Conservative weekly Spectator commenting, "It is difficult to see what motive—except the desire to satisfy their respective left wings—prompted the statement the Britain-American and French Governments issued on Spain or what good purpose its issue can serve.

The periodical added: "It is highly questionable whether the three governments strengthened their own prestige by emitting a bark with obviously no bite behind it."

An authority on foreign policy said in an interview that long-range plans for a change in Spain hold down to getting part of the Spanish Army to break away from Franco and big powers eventually will have to recognize this.

Eisenhower, Churchill Escape Hurt

Scared Horses Buck, Ready to Run Away

WILLIAMSBURG, Va., March 8 (AP).—Winston Churchill and Gen. Eisenhower narrowly escaped injury today when two frightened horses, harnessed to an ancient open coach in which they were seated, bucked and threatened to run away.

Outside the beautiful Governor's mansion—modeled after the home of His Majesty's colonial governor, the 75-year-old wartime Prime Minister and the United States Army Chief of Staff climbed aboard the flimsy horse-drawn coach.

Suddenly, photographer's flashbulbs startled the horses drawing the coach. As the horses reared, women screamed and one policeman shouted. Negro coachmen managed to quiet the frightened animals.

Amid a hectic scene of confusion and commotion, Mr. Churchill settled his hat a bit firmer on his head and took a deep puff on his long black cigar. Eisenhower reached over to grasp his elbow. Part of the harness snapped.

But perhaps the calmest woman in the crowd was Mrs. Churchill.

As one member of her party protested: "Grandma, to think she had to come through the war to face this," she turned to say quietly of the coachman:

"He's a good driver. They'll be all right."

Out of the carriage climbed Mr. Churchill and Mrs. Eisenhower and down the street they trudged. Mr. Churchill blithely swung his cane.

BULLETINS

Russians Moving

LONDON, March 8 (Reuters).—Russian troops are moving northward out of Mukden, the Chinese Central News Agency reported today, as a scale indicating the long-delayed withdrawal of Soviet forces from Manchuria may have begun.

Guard Ships

LONDON, March 8 (Saturday) (Reuters).—The Times (London) said in a story today: "Orders almost as rigid as those of wartime have been issued for the guarding of every vessel in British ports against the menace of the sabotage organization which is striking through arson at shipping.

Batavia Waits

BATAVIA, March 8 (Saturday) (Reuters).—Crucial developments affecting the Indonesian nationalist movement and the future political status of Java are expected within the next 24 hours. Sutan Sjahrir, Premier of the unrecognized Indonesian Republic, is expected to make a statement later today and may resign.

Russian Views Democracy

MOSCOW, March 8 (CP).—"The Anglo-American brand of democracy was assailed today by David Zaslavsky, sharp-pointed Soviet publicist, as "old and out moded."

In an article in the magazine Ogonyok, Zaslavsky claimed the Soviet democracy was young and real and the only true democracy.

But he recalled the wartime cooperation of "the old Bourgeois democracy" with the "new Soviet democracy" and asked "who believes that with good will from Governments they can not also work together in peace against all new reactionary aggression?"

Zaslavsky wrote: "It is said that democracy's rule is by a majority, but in the British Empire a population of 542,000,000 is ruled by 46-odd million Englishmen."

Mikhaile Mikhailov, Soviet commentator Mikhail Mikhailov said in a broadcast that "The Soviet Union now needs a long period of peace and security. In other countries, imperialists are already encouraging dangerous talks about a third world war. As a member of the United Nations, the Soviet Union trusts that this organization will be effective."

Canada's Contentious Issue On Flag to the Fore Again

OTTAWA, March 8 (CP).—Canada's contentious flag issue will come to the fore again this month when a joint committee of the House and Senate resumes hearings its attempts to choose a design for a distinctive Canadian flag.

The committee, which held two meetings at the last session, will be faced with more than 1,000 suggested designs. Those designs today were submitted for the Parliamentary Press Gallery while flag committee officials started the suggested designs into different groups and under different headings.

Most of those who submitted designs put the Union Jack in a prominent position.

The designs had come from all parts of Canada, one had come from South Africa, another from Australia, one from France and several from the United States.

In some, the Union Jack appeared in the upper left hand corner of flags bearing stripes similar to those on the United States flag. Others were adaptations of the Red Ensign where carries the Union Jack in the upper left hand corner and the Canadian coat of arms in the fly.

Where the Union Jack was left out, the designs featured the maple leaf or the maple leaf and beaver on a log. Some of these showed in the fly a beaver on a log reinforced by maple leaves. The fly was also shown at the top for insertion of the Imperial Crown.

The exhibition came at a time when reports were spreading there will be a movement at the coming session to have the Union Jack and a distinctive Canadian flag given equal status.

Such a move is understood to have support among those who feel that a compromise is not necessary since the country has two official languages—French and English—it might well have two official flags.

"It's a Holdup!" Works Two Ways

TORONTO, March 8 (CP).—A customer in a West Toronto shop today took one look at the price tag on a dress and screamed, "It's a holdup!"

Clerks took her literally, called police.

When the customer realized what she had done, she felt faint and asked for a drink. She was hurried to a corn pollen run in the front door.

Soviet Charge U.S. Violated Decision Reported by Radio

Suggestion of "New Conditions" for Bulgarian Opposition Given as Cause

LONDON, March 8 (CP).—The Moscow radio said tonight the Soviet Government had formally charged the United States with "violation of the Moscow decision" in suggesting "new conditions" for representation of Opposition parties in the Bulgarian Government.

The broadcast, recorded by the Soviet monitor, said Soviet Chargé d'Affaires Nikolai Novikov yesterday handed the United States State Department a note alleging a message Washington sent to Bulgaria this week urged Bulgarian Opposition leaders to seek disruption of the Moscow Agreement by which Russia, Great Britain and the United States agreed to seek broader representation in governments of the Balkan States.

"The fact should also be mentioned," the broadcast quoted the note as saying, "that the above-mentioned statement of the Government of the United States was made unilaterally and without any attempt at prior agreement on this step with the other interested parties that participated in the taking of the decision on Bulgaria."

The note declared that the Moscow Agreement, made last December, provided for inclusion in the Bulgarian Cabinet of two leaders to "genuinely represent" the Opposition, and charged the United States with raising "new conditions" that the Opposition representatives should be appointed on "mutually acceptable conditions."

The note charged also, the radio said, that the United States political representative in Bulgaria, Maynard Barnes, "is systematically inciting the Bulgarian Oppositionists to act, not on the basis of the decision of the three ministers, but on the basis of advancing new conditions for entering the Bulgarian Government not provided by the Moscow Conference."

Real Estate Development Threat to Airport Site

Gordon Head is the only remaining site for an airport in the Greater Victoria area and unless some action is taken the site will be taken over standpoint of drainage, level surface and clear approach, the site was a wilderness.

This will mean, A. H. Wilson, assistant inspector of Western airways for the Department of Transport, told a meeting of the Greater Victoria airport committee yesterday, that the opportunity to develop a civic airport will be gone.

Col. H. L. Sherwood said he had surveyed the whole southern portion of the Island seeking an airport site for the R.C.A.F. Patricia Bay was finally decided upon because the air force wanted a combined sea and land base.

"Gordon Head was absolutely the only place available outside of Patricia Bay," he told the committee.

Mr. Wilson said the Gordon Head site, with the addition of one or two pieces of private land, could be made into a first-class airport with a runway 6,000 feet long suitable for commercial airliners. From the standpoint of drainage, level surface and clear approach, the site was a wilderness.

On a motion from Reeve A. G. Lambrick, Saanich, the committee requested provincial engineers to draw up a plan for the airport with Victoria, airport committee, at a later day, that the opportunity to develop a civic airport will be gone.

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New Officers To Be Named

New officers for The Canadian Scottish Regiment (Reserve) will be appointed after the middle of the month, it was learned last night from Maj.-Gen. F. F. Worthington, O.G.C.-in-C. Pacific Command, Vancouver.

It is understood Col. H. M. Hart, present commanding officer, will retire shortly.

Saying he expected to receive further recommendations, Gen. Worthington added: "I have been going slowly on the matter . . . It is important that we get the right man."

Asked referring to the appointment of the commanding officer of the Regiment, he said:

In the past, the general explained, such appointments were directed by army sources at Ottawa, and often there was a delay of several weeks before any definite announcement could be made. After the mistake of the months of confusion, the new set-up would be changed and such appointments would not have to be referred to higher sources at Ottawa.

Bank Sub-Branch To Open at Sooke

The Bank of Montreal, Victoria, will establish a sub-branch at Sooke, Saanich, it was learned last night. It will be open each week, on Tuesdays and Fridays, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the premises of the Sooke Supply Store and the service will commence on Tuesday, observing banking hours of 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Home From East

MRS. ALMA B. ROBERTS

VANCOUVER, March 8 (CP).—Five Canadian and 31 United Kingdom civilian repatriates from Shanghai lined the rails and cheered as the Prometheus, first Blue Funnel passenger cargo ship in peacetime colors, arrived here late tonight.

Among Canadians were: Miss A. B. Roberts, Victoria, Miss W. A. Jessop, Winnipeg, and J. C. Fleming, Vancouver Island.

Railway Union Heads Postpone Strike of 300,000 Indefinitely

NEW YORK, March 8 (CP).—Railway union leaders tonight indefinitely postponed a strike of 300,000 men—scheduled to begin Monday—and union and company officials met a 48-day-old strike that tied the Western Electric Company had been settled.

The 17,000 workers in 23 New York City and Northern New Jersey plants of Western Electric will get an 18.2 per cent pay boost amounting to about 17.8 cents an hour, P. J. Platsimouros, president of the Western Union Employment Association (find) said.

This will add about 30 per cent and the first company offer was 15 per cent. Mr. Platsimouros said the strikers would be ordered to be back at work Monday.

Meanwhile, the railway strike followed announcement by President Truman of a fact-finding board to study the issues.

Strike postponement was announced in a telegram sent to Robert P. Cole, secretary of the National Mediation Board, by A. F. Whitney, president of the Brotherhood of Trainmen, and Alvanley Johnston, head of the engineers union.

Messrs. Whitney and Johnston also informed local brotherhood leaders of postponement "until you receive further official notice from us."

Previously, they had set the strike for Monday, in support of demands for wage boosts averaging 25 per cent and changes in numerous working rules.

North Cowichan Sets Tax Rate

DUNCAN, March 8.—The tax rate for North Cowichan municipality has been fixed for 1946. The general rate is 13.5 mills. The school tax in the Chemainus area is 41.17 mills, the same as last year. The Duncan Consolidated school rate is 13 mills, down ½ mill, while the North Cowichan school rate is up ½ mill to 13.5 mills.

Highs and Lows Of the Weather

	Max	Min	Precipitation
Montreal	30	18	Snow
Toronto	34	24	Snow
Regina	30	8	Snow
Winnipeg	32	14	Snow
Calgary	44	18	Snow
Edmonton	38	18	.01
Prince Rupert	44	34	Rain
Vancouver	52	43	.01
Victoria	52	43	.01
Spokane	46	28	Snow
Prince George	38	22	Trace
Prince Rupert	44	34	Rain
Portland	52	38	Trace
San Francisco	54	48	Rain

France Seeks to Maintain Balance Of Power Among European Nations

PARIS, March 7 (Reuters).—Immediate objectives of French foreign policy were set out recently—for the first time since Gen. De Gaulle abandoned politics—by Foreign Minister Georges Bidault, when he described the reunion of Germany's western frontiers and the possible conclusion of an alliance with Britain as a pendant to the existing alliance with the Soviet Union.

However, nobody knows when Germany's human strength will be in the coming decade, and consequently France finds it difficult to define clearly her basic position in relation to other big powers.

France needs British support to maintain her empire, which reaches to East Asia.

She needs support from the United States, without whose aid her chances of holding a place among the leading powers of the West are seriously diminished.

She needs support from Russia, without whose friendship her continental security is in danger.

In these circumstances the French Government is likely to feel itself free to do anything except what Gen. De Gaulle tried to do—maintain a balanced position among the United States, Britain and Russia.

To expect France clearly to take sides in disputes between Britain and Russia or between the United States and Russia is, for the time being at any rate, asking the impossible.

The geopolitical reasons for the French attitude of equilibrium vis-à-vis the Big Three are reinforced by her internal political situation.

The Communist Party has a large following in France, with 5,000,000 at 10,000,000 ballots voting the Communist ticket four months ago.

Any definite line-up of France with the Western Powers liable to interpreted in Russia as a semi-"soviet move" would at this stage risk splitting the country from top to bottom.

Some responsible public men claim no Government could carry on a general mobilization order if the Communists Party did not approve of the object for which the order was issued.

There is another, and possibly more profound, reason why French diplomacy finds it necessary to attempt to steer an even keel among the Big Three. This is the exhaustion of the French people after the bloodletting of the two World Wars.

Not to detach the Ruhr from Germany would, for the French, spell a revival of the German danger and, consequently, the overriding consideration is her strong and justified fear of making sure of Russia as an ally. Influential public opinion is already inclined more sympathetically towards the Russian thesis than towards the Anglo-Saxon world.

Work on Inner Harbor Project To Start Soon

Work on one of the largest expansion projects undertaken in the Inner Harbor for many years will get under way next week, it was learned yesterday.

The project—involving the tearing down of wharves and warehouses and the erection of new ones will be undertaken by waterfront property of J. H. Todd & Sons, Ltd., extending from, and including, the Kingston Wharf to the former site of Victoria Box & Paper, Ltd., at the foot of Bastion Street. The property, acquired during the war, extends over nearly two city blocks and will be developed at a cost of more than a quarter of a million dollars.

Discussions on the subject were held at a meeting of Todd directors early this week.

Pacific Properties of Vancouver Barge Transportation, Ltd., are located on the property. By agreement, the company will vacate most of this firm will be torn down. Work on the new warehousing project will commence next week. A 300-foot wharf with warehouse and other facilities will be constructed.

Work on the new buildings and wharves will be completed six months after it is started.

Fire in Brooder Threatens Chicks

Fire which broke out in the brooder of a two-storey chicken house at 4720 Holland Avenue, shortly after 9 a.m. yesterday, threatened a batch of 2,500 chicks before it was brought under control by the owner, R. Tripp.

Mr. Tripp had arisen to attend to his child who was sick, when he noticed flames in the wall. Bastion firemen, flushing outside, he used a garden hose to subdue the flames. He saved about 50 chicks.

Bastion firemen put the flushing machine to the job of extinguishing the blaze, origin of which was believed due to faulty electric wiring in the brooder.

Victorians Attend Fishing Meeting

A. Carr and George Greenwell, manager and assistant manager respectively of Kyuquot Trollers' Co-operative Association, are in Vancouver attending a number of meetings of fisherman's unions and co-operative organizations.

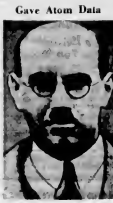
Mr. Carr is expected to return next week. Mr. Greenwell will be away from the city for another two weeks.

Better Ferry Service Asked by Delegation

Improvement in the transportation facilities across the Fraser River between Ladner and Woodwards Landing was asked by a Ladner delegation during a meeting with the Cabinet yesterday.

Contending the present ferry service was inadequate, the group asked that a bridge be constructed from the south bank of the Fraser River at Deas Island and a larger ferry be used to link the island and the north bank of the river.

Gave Atom Data



DR. ALAN NUNN MAY

British scientist who worked on the atomic bomb in Canada, has admitted giving secret atomic information to another person, but refused to disclose the person's name or nationality, Dr. May, who has been lecturing at King's College, University of London, was remanded to the Bow Street police station here for another appearance March 16. The 34-year-old Nuclear scientist was arrested and charged yesterday with disclosing atomic secrets "which might be directly or indirectly useful to the enemy."

Expect 2,000 in Musical Meets

Approximately 2,000 pupils of the elementary and junior schools of Saanich will participate in the music meets to be held in April, J. J. Gough, municipal inspector of schools, reported yesterday. Plans for the meets were discussed by a committee composed of M. J. Bigsby, inspector of music, convener; Mrs. J. Cullen, W. J. Kitely, Miss D. Ayliffe, Miss M. Duncan, Miss M. Parkinson and Mrs. J. McLeod.

Pupils of West Saanich presented an assembly program before parents in the Brentwood Women's Institute Hall last evening. Handiwork displayed was later sold by the Parent-Teacher Association to obtain funds for the improvement of the school library.

Craigflower School will hold a Hobby Fair on April 5. The Parent-Teacher Association will sponsor the program.

Traveling exhibits dealing with B.C. Indians, birds, fish and sea shells, borrowed from the Provincial Museum, are in use at Prospect, Cloverdale and Tillicum schools.

A Junior Red Cross money jar at Royal Oak school raised $4 during February for the children of Europe. Royal Oak and Prospect Lake school students are preparing handiwork exhibits for the Royal Oak Women's Institute Spring Fair.

Pupils of McKenzie Avenue School are now using a monthly magazine dealing with school news.

Classes to train beginners for junior school band and orchestra work are held in Tolmie school on Thursday afternoons. Pupils having their own band instruments will be welcome.

Car Nearly Snaps Off Telephone Pole

A U-drive car was severely damaged when it struck and nearly snapped off a telephone pole on Johnson Street, near Victoria West Park at 1.40 a.m. yesterday, city police reported. The driver of the car was not injured.

Eighty-year-old Patricia Hillier, 1946 Hualalai Street, received cuts and bruises when she was knocked down by a car Thursday night. She was taken to Jubilee Hospital for treatment.

Visitors Here—W. J. Henning, Western Canada sales manager, and W. S. Brown, Eastern Canada sales manager for Robin Hood Flour Mills, Ltd., are business visitors in the city.

Ask Replacement of Over-Age Civil Servants by Veterans

Strong approval of the Cameron report on educational financing and the Sloan forestry report, and demand for retirement of over-age civil servants and their replacement by veterans, were highlights of the Vancouver Junior Chamber of Commerce annual brief to the Legislature, presented by E. V. Crowley, president, at a dinner for members of the Cabinet and Opposition members at the Empress Hotel last night.

The brief also urged that municipalities be allotted a larger share of the provincial revenue.

Hon. E. T. Kenney, Minister of Lands and Forests, and Hon. Dr. G. M. Weir, Minister of Education, who were among guests of honor, both declined to discuss Government policy until legislation was framed. Mr. Kennedy declared himself against adoption of a communistic subdivisioner forest policy as recommended in the Sloan report.

H. E. Winch, C.C.F. leader, and Herbert Gargrave, C.C.F. Member, expressed general approval of the Sloan and Cameron reports. Mr. Winch called for legislation aimed to place E. T. R. Railway timber leases in the hands of the people. He joined Mr. Kenney in decrying the proposal for a permanent forest commission.

Mr. Gargrave expressed fear that the Cameron report might not be implemented in full, and might be used by some politicians to reduce education rather than equalize and improve education.

Other guests of honor of the 38-man Vancouver Junior Board delegation were Hon. G. S. Pearson, Minister of Labor and Provincial Secretary, who represented Premier John Hart; Hon. E. C. Carson, Minister of Trade and Industry; Hon. Frank Putnam, Minister of Agriculture; E. R. Winch (C.C.F. Burnaby), and C. H. Harrington, president of Victoria Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Jordan Gray, first vice-president of Vancouver Junior Board, was in the chair.

Key Witness in Spy Inquiry Fears Reprisal

OTTAWA, March 8 (CP).—Top police officials were told they had no idea of the whereabouts of Igor Gouzenko, key witness in Canada's soviet spy ring probe, when he being kept hidden with his family for fear Russian agents may make attempts on their lives.

"What is more, we don't want to know where they are," one authoritative said, adding that they "had an idea," however, that the Gouzenkos were being kept under cover in the Ottawa district.

It was considered possible his whereabouts were known only to R.C.M.P. officers who have been detaining those held in connection with the investigation.

Gouzenko, former cipher clerk in the Russian embassy here, feared that harm would come to him if he returned to Russia, and told Canadian officials of the existence of the espionage ring.

However, it now is believed unlikely that he is being held in secrecy R.C.M.P. Stanley Baranchuk.

Mrs. Fernande Joubarne, secretary of Crown Prosecutor Raoul Mercier and the person who first put Gouzenko in touch with Canadian authorities, said today she had learned Mrs. Gouzenko had given birth to a child, third second, since the young couple came under Canadian protection last September.

It was also learned some of the wives of the nine men being held by the R.C.M.P. have permitted to visit them today while several other wives left for their Russian homes.

Sources close to the inquiry said they did not expect any development during the week-end but indicated a sensational blow might be forthcoming towards the middle of next week.

It was learned Mrs. Emma Woikin, former cipher clerk in the External Affairs Department, who is held guilty to charges under the Official Secrets Act, will testify in her own behalf, if recommended by counsel when she appears in court again next week.

Plan Air Force Branch of Legion

Plans for an air force branch of the Canadian Legion in Victoria were made last night at a meeting held in the Britannia Branch headquarters.

O. E. Wilson was elected president of a temporary executive to draw up constitution and by-laws. Others on the executive committee are N. L. B. Hall, secretary; V. C. Rugeley, A. G. Meek, J. Meikle, E. A. Blake, H. W. Pitch, A. A. Gibson and L. Toll.

The meeting announced a tentative date of March 22 for the next gathering, when it is hoped a greater representation of ex-air force personnel will be present. The meeting will be held in the Britannia Branch headquarters, Blanshard Street.

Commenting on the proposed air force branch, Robert Knight, chairman of the zone council of the Canadian Legion, said such a move would be definitely beneficial. He pointed out the various Legion branches now in operation had facilities for a limited number of members only and most had full quotas already on their rosters.

A film entitled "Road South," which depicted the use of aircraft transportation to service remote sections of South America, was shown during the meeting.

Scouts Speak at Lions' Luncheon

It was Boy Scout day for the visiting Lions Club at its weekly luncheon meeting yesterday at the Empress Hotel.

Freeman King, field commissioner of the Victoria Boy Scout District, and four senior Scout leaders, were guests of honor. In brief addresses, each guest expressed thanks to the Lions Club for its sponsorship of the Lions Member Scout Troop, and stressed the need of additional adult leaders for the movement in Greater Victoria.

It is hoped, said Mr. King, to increase membership in the present 1,500 to 2,000 by 1950. This could be done, he claimed, with sufficient leaders. There were more Scouts and Guides per 100 Victoria than any other Canadian city on a per capita basis, the field commissioner added.

Toronto attending the meeting were R. MacDonald, president, and William Sherman and William Welsh.

Tug Qualicum Is Standing By Here

Qualicum, powerful coal-burning tug of the C.P.R. which has been tied up in the Inner Harbor for the past two months, is being prepared there "to stand by in case an extra tug is needed," Capt. J. W. Williams, manager of the B.C. Coast Steamship Service, reported yesterday.

The tug was originally tied up and kept out of operation due to lack of firemen. Canvas has been placed over her stack, and boilers are kept in a state of readiness.

Efficiency Survey—A written report setting out the results of a survey of the civic administration by E. P. Mather, business analyst, will be presented to the City Council Monday, Alderman H. M. Digby said yesterday. There is a possibility that another representative of the George S. May Company may be in the city Monday to present the report in person, he indicated.

Commander Arrives in Tokio

Lieut.-General John Northcott, commander-in-chief of British commonwealth forces in Japan, is shown (left) with Lieut.-General G. H. Gard, commander of the Royal Australian Regiment, who has been appointed to command the British embassy in Tokio shortly after Gen. Northcott's arrival in the Japanese capital. The new commander of British occupation forces will set up headquarters at Kure, Japan.

Total Public Works Expenditure $22,850,000 for Current Year

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"I have said on many occasions that if I had the responsibility of it, I would be prepared to borrow a very large sum of money for a reasonable length of time to put that tax up-to-date road system into effect.

WILLING TO PLEDGE AS MUCH AS HE CAN

"I would be willing to pledge the credit of the Government to the extent of $100,000,000 if necessary, because I am perfectly satisfied that the money, if properly spent, would produce the greatest asset we could ever hope to get."

One point that should be kept constantly in mind, he said, was that during the war British Columbia had a very great deal of heavy war equipment scattered all over the Province.

"It crumbled over our roads at will, without the slightest consideration for them or the fact that they were never built to carry such loads. With the consequence that in many places we literally ripped them to pieces," the minister continued.

"We are well complaint of the fact that we had to have them here for both protection and training, but that does not alter the fact that this province should not be compelled to carry the cost of repairs for the damage they did." The damage was particularly bad in certain sections of Vancouver Island.

All representations to Ottawa in this regard had been to no avail, Mr. Anscomb told the Legislature, with the exception of one instance in which damage had been done by maneuvers.

Emphasizing the magnitude of British Columbia's road maintenance task, he reminded the Legislature that the province had well over 26,000 miles of road, 62 miles of bridges and 51 ferries.

For five years the department had carried on under most difficult circumstances "without so much as a shred of new equipment, when much of what it had was almost obsolete when we started, and with labor shortage and a necessity to retrench.

STILL DISCUSSING ROAD PLAN WITH OTTAWA

Dealing with the Province's highway construction plan at the request of the Federal Government, to provide war employment, Mr. Anscomb said British Columbia had been prepared to embark on a plan involving expenditure over a period of years of some $210,000,000, on the understanding that it would be on a 50-50 basis at least.

Since then it had been found that Ottawa was only prepared to enter into arrangements that would deal with what was known as the Trans-Canada Highway and United States extensions, and then only on a "dining" proposal—meaning that Ottawa would agree to provide 50 per cent of the money if there were a period of unemployment in any particular section considered serious enough for the Federal Government to become interested.

However, these discussions were still going on, and the minister was hopeful that some better arrangement would come out of them.

In support of the contention of policy that the Province should modernize existing highways before undertaking construction of new ones, Mr. Anscomb said there were "hundreds of all kinds" of areas ready for development adjacent to existing main highways, which would bring into electric removal from existing transportation.

MILES OF ROAD SHOULD NEVER HAVE BEEN BUILT

He said the province had miles of road which should never have been constructed, miles of road tied closer to centres of population than and the Province would have been saved untold amounts in maintenance.

If the Province agreed to every request for a new road of an extension of an existing road, it would have to build a highway system, it would have nothing but gravel and dirt roads for the rest of time, the minister said.

"I am not agreeable to that policy," he declared.

Two exceptions to this rule were the Pine Pass Highway to northern outlet, to cost about $6,000,000, and the Hope-Princeton highway, to bring the Okanagan many hours closer to centres of consumer population, both of which roads the minister discussed in detail.

A conservative estimate of the cost of the 25-mile British Columbia part of the Alsin route to Alaska Highway would be $81,000, but the minister was hopeful that the Dominion would share also all the work, with the Province contributing to the cost.

He was of the opinion that Ottawa should maintain the road from Prince Rupert to Haselton as a military highway.

Referring to recommendations that tolls should be removed, Mr. Anscomb pointed out to dermisers demanding road work that if tolls had been cut off in the black year ended last March 31, the Province would have lost $467,000. Today that figure would be at least $400,000, equivalent to the cost of hard-surfacing 100 miles of road.

MODERN EQUIPMENT IS NOW ON ORDER

Dealing with $500,000 provided for the purchase of new equipment, the Minister announced that 34 modern power maintainers and 27 tractors with bulldozer equipment were on order. Thirty-six new graders had been purchased to be operated with grader and tractor equipment. 31 snow ploughs had been ordered for use on trucks, and 60 new trucks had been ordered.

The Province also had purchased four modern gravel crushing plants, with a capacity of 500,000 cubic yards a year.

Touching on gasoline tax, Mr. Anscomb said that if Ottawa relinquished the present three cent tax to the Province and it were re-imposed as a carrying charge, it would go a long way toward taking care of interest on a road construction loan. Tax would remain as at present, 10 cents a gallon, but the yield would increase considerably as motor traffic grew.

The Minister's speech closed the debate on the "Address in Reply to the Speech From the Throne" and the House will sit 6 days a week until Hon. Hugh Savage, Speaker, ruled that Hon. Dr. G. M. Weir, Minister of Education, who was among guests of honor, both declined to discuss Government policy until legislation was framed. Mr. Kennedy declared himself against adoption of a communistic subdivisioner forest policy as recommended in the Sloan report.

H. E. Winch, C.C.F. leader, and Herbert Gargrave, C.C.F. Member, expressed general approval of the Sloan and Cameron reports. Mr. Winch called for legislation aimed to place E. T. R. Railway timber leases in the hands of the people. He joined Mr. Kenney in decrying the proposal for a permanent forest commission.

Mr. Gargrave expressed fear that the Cameron report might not be implemented in full, and might be used by some politicians to reduce education rather than equalize and improve education.

Other guests of honor of the 38-man Vancouver Junior Board delegation were Hon. G. S. Pearson, Minister of Labor and Provincial Secretary, who represented Premier John Hart; Hon. E. C. Carson, Minister of Trade and Industry; Hon. Frank Putnam, Minister of Agriculture; E. R. Winch (C.C.F. Burnaby), and C. H. Harrington, president of Victoria Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Jordan Gray, first vice-president of Vancouver Junior Board, was in the chair.

General Pays High Tribute To Churchill

RICHMOND, Va., March 8 (AP).—Winston Churchill, maintaining the peace cannot be preserved by carrying arms "the panoply of wartime strength," called upon Britons and Americans today to stand together in defence of those causes which he held dear

In an impromptu prepared address to a joint session of Virginia's Legislature, Britain's wartime Premier departed from his prepared address to pay special tribute to General Eisenhower for his work in welding the Allied troops into a force which fought as soldiers of a single nation.

He did not mention directly his recent appeal for an Anglo-American military alliance.

But he drew a sustained burst of applause when he cried out:

"We should stand together in unity and not let anyone be ended by fear of the causes we hold dear."

Again and again, he emphasized the close working unity of British and American troops in the war just ended, the tenacity of the British in the first years of the war, the power of the American "arsenal for the friends of freedom."

Again and again he cried:

"Above all, among the English-speaking peoples, there must be the union of hearts based upon conviction and common duty."

"That," said Churchill, "is what I offer."

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CHURCHILL AIDERES OVATION CHEERS

As he ended, peering over his spectacles to note the reaction, Virginia's lawmakers packed in the Blue House Chamber and the crowded gallery rose to their feet and applauded.

The crowd then began to chant "Our General Eisenhower to speak."

The General, smiling said "I could not speak to a Virginia audience than as one of the aides of one of the great men of this country—a man whose conception of politics, industry and military affairs led him to be the inspiration for the North African campaign."

"Of all the things that supported me in the years of the war none other was as inspiring as the courage and indomitable support of the Prime Minister of Great Britain."

Shipping News

Mr. Empire Wilson was docked in the Government dredge yesterday and overhaul work will be done by Yarrows Ltd., reported Cecil Ribout, manager of Ellis Bros. Ltd. shipping agents.

The Seven Seas Park, required here by Victoria Machinery Depot Co., Ltd., and sold to a Montreal shipping firm while here, left last night for New Westminster.

Port Bilson, Malaysian freighter, docked at Ogden Point last night. While here she will take on lumber destined for the United Kingdom.

Slain by Russian

LT. JAMES HAMILTON WILSON

Son of D. L. Wilson, of Bryan Ter., reported killed in action. Number of Commerce, was shot and killed by a Russian sentry in Berlin. He was attached to the TRA Ordnance, 18th Division, and soon expected promotion to captain.

Helmet Distribution For Port Alberni

PORT ALBERNI, March 8—On March 16 Fire Chief W. P. Venables will distribute the steel helmets kept here during the war for emergency purposes.

The Provincial Government has requested the fire department to return 600 feet of one and one-half-inch hose. Rubber boots and coats provided by the province will be retained.

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Victorians and Island Men Receive Awards for Service on Battlefront

Thirty-eight Victorians and 18 other officers and men of the Canadian Army from Vancouver Island homes are among 1,940 veterans awarded Mentions in Dispatches for gallant service overseas, it was announced yesterday by the Department of National Defence.

Local names on the list, which was approved by the King, with rank mentioned being that held at the time the award was won unless otherwise stated are:

Maj.-Gen. (acting lieutenant-general) Charles Foulkes, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., Foul Bay Road; Maj.-Gen. Rodney F. L. Keiller, C.B.E., 2480 Cardigan Road; Brig. John M. Rockingham, D.S.O., 620 Foul Bay Road; Brig. Robert A. Wyman, C.B.E., D.S.O. E.D., Royal Oak.

Lt.-Col. Gordon L. W. Macdonald, R.C.A., 1000 Terrace Avenue; Maj. John A. Cook, R.C.A., St. Hampton Drive; Maj. Patrick D. Crofton, C.I.C., Glasgow.

Capt. Curtis F. Lawrence, C.I.C., 858 North Park Street; Capt. James A. Quinn, C.I.C., 1319 Cedilla Road; Lt. (acting captain) Norman F. Tatong, 798 St. Patrick Street; W.O.2 (C.S.M.) Campbell Morgan, 1010 Cuthbert Road; S. Sgt. William A. Dennis, Duncan; Sgt. Frank Brenham, C.I.C., 3304 Glasgow Avenue; Sgt. Stephen C. Lanzon, 1060 Oliver Street.

Sgt. Frederick A. Menzies, Squalamo; Cpl. (acting sergeant) George H. Jackson, C.I.C., East Wellington; Cpl. (acting sergeant) Roy H. Tuite, Sidney; Cpl. William Knowles, 1385 Vista Heights, Pte. Thomas Waltt, Nanaimo; Maj. Eric Hoasley, R.C.A.S.C., 2560 Windsor Road, Capt. William E. McKinney, R.C.A.S.C., 3185 Yew Street; Capt. Wallace H. Wynd, R.C.A.S.C., 620 Foul Bay Road.

Capt. Ralph E. Fisher, R.C.A.M.C., 1020 Pemberlee Place; Lt. (nursing sister) Phyllis G. Beamish, Saanichton; Lt. (nursing sister) Florence L. Ferguson, Leaside Avenue, R.R. 3, Victoria; 2nd Lt. (home sister) Alyce A. C. Baines, 1101 Newport Avenue; S. Sgt. Herbert A. Booker, R.A.M.C., 3226 Albion Street; S. Sgt. Justin V. Harbourd-Harbourd, 1946 Mayfair Drive.

Lt. (acting captain) Reginald Ralph, R.C.O.C., 2050 Grilla Street; L.-Cpl. Bertram F. Hickman, 1130 Bank Street; Maj. Guy Barclay, R.C.E.M.E., 2981 Foul Bay Road, W.O.2 (armament) Q.M.S. Nanaimo; Capt. Ian A. MacDonald, R.C.A.P.C., Duncan; Capt. James L. Muirhead, 223 Robert Street; S. Sgt. John McColl, 402 Hillside Avenue; Pte. Richard A. Phillips, 2740 Beach Drive; W.O.1 (R.S.M.) George W. Oakes, Saanichton.

Royal Victorians To Stage Variety

W. W. Martin's recently-organized Royal Victorians, a group of selected wartime concert party entertainers, will soon stage pantomime, variety and community shows for charity, it was announced yesterday. Singers, comedians, instrumentalists and variety entertainers will contribute to the group.

Among entertainers are: John Bray, Alfred Adams, Grace Adams, Catherine Craig, Dick Revie, Douglas Parks, Mickey Francis, Catherine Dennison, Donald Gray, Arthur Stringer, Norma Tyrell, Ralph McAdam, Thelma Gaetz, Thyra Gaetz, George Cornelius, Mrs. Cornelius, Etienne Murray, Vanda Hudson, Leslie Lewis, Mrs. Thornborough, Hilda Hoal, Hel Lanning, Nora Bennison, Pranab Kapoor, J. Mayhom, Alec Hall, Harry Pope, Mary Armitage, Sheila Morgan, Jim Oakman, Frank Tupman and Florence Scovil.

Charge Youths With Burglary Of City Stores

Three youthful burglars were charged yesterday with breaking and entering the Hillside Pure Foods, Ltd., 1390 Hillside Avenue, and stealing a large quantity of cigarettes, tobacco, candy and gum.

The burglary occurred sometime between 1.30 and 3.30 a.m. yesterday, according to police reports and by shortly after 4 a.m. a youth and two juveniles had been rounded up and charged with the offence.

James Lansing, 21, and Dennis Anderson, 17, both pleaded guilty in city police court and were remanded until Monday for sentence. The third youth was charged in juvenile court. It was not disclosed whether or not he pleaded guilty.

Outlining the circumstances leading to the arrests, Sgt. John Howe said the two youths and a juvenile were questioned by Constables William Knowles and Albert Wilson on a downtown street at 3.40 a.m.

Shortly after, the three bounded a taxi and were driven to the premises of the No. 4 car line, where one of the youths left the taxi and returned with two loaded sacks.

They were then driven to Craigdarroch Road, near Victoria College, where they left the car, taking the sacks with them.

Sgt. Howe said that he and Constable Knowles had taken Lansing into custody on Lethbridge Avenue shortly after 4 a.m. Lansing took the officers to Victoria College, where the two sacks were under the steps on the south side of the college.

The sacks contained 261 packages of cigarettes, 26 packages of tobacco and several cartons of candy and chewing gum.

Entrance to the store was made by removing a small window, Sgt. Howe said.

Lansing told the court he had waited outside while the other two went in.

C.P.R. Orders Tug At Vancouver Yard

Canadian Pacific Railway has placed an order for a streamlined 110-foot steel tug with West Coast Shipbuilders, Ltd., Vancouver.

To be powered with Diesel engines, the vessel will be used on Okanagan Lake, and will be capable of doing seven knots with two large barges in tow. It is expected the tug will be completed in August. It will be built in Vancouver in sections, shipped to Okanagan Lake, and there reassembled.

RE-EDUCATE NAZIS

LONDON (CP) — Plans for the re-education of Nazi-trained German brings the translation of British books for the German market. Several of the books now are in the hands of German publishers and others are being translated.

At the Theatres

ATLAS THEATRE Plenty of new music is featured in the lavish musical, "George White's Scandals" which ends tonight at the Atlas Theatre and stars Joan Davis and Jack Haley, with Cece Krupa and his band furnishing the music. Gorgeous settings, hilarious comedy, and a romantic story help to make this RKO Radio attraction Grade A entertainment.

CAPITOL THEATRE New Yorkers were amused to learn that a very important part of Paramount's film drama, "The Lost Weekend," which ends tonight at the Capitol Theatre, was filmed in the heart of the big city, and with its star, Ray Milland, too! The famous "walk" sequence of the Charles Jackson book was actually filmed on Third Avenue. Director Billy Wilder, hid his camera and crew in an ordinary-looking laundery service truck, which followed Milland along his route.

Amusements

ON THE STAGE

Royal—Jean Watson

ON THE SCREEN

Atlas—Joan Davis and Jack Haley in "George White's Scandals"

Capitol — Ray Milland, "Lost Week-End," starring Ray Milland and Jane Wyman.

Dominion — "Too Young to Know" starring Joan Leslie and Robert Hutton

Oak Bay Plaza — Yvonne de Carlo in "Frontier Gal."

Rio—"Outlaws of the Rockies," starring Charles Starrett.

York—Melvyn Douglas and Loretta Young in "He Stayed for Breakfast."

DOMINION THEATRE Warners' "Too Young to Know," currently playing at the Dominion Theatre, remains for the first time Hollywood's newest screen sweetheart, Joan Leslie and Robert Hutton, who were originally cast opposite one another in Hollywood's Canteen." In "Too Young to Know" they play the parents of one in the romantic comedy.

OAK BAY AND PLAZA THEATRES Building the big outdoor set in Mammoth Creek, California, canyon for Universal's "Frontier Gal" required more than hours than the entire construction program of most major pictures. The exciting "Frontier Gal" ends tonight at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres. Andy Devine and Fuzzy Knight are featured at the top of the supporting cast which includes Sheldon Leonard, Andrew Tombes and little Beverly Simmons.

YORK THEATRE Co-starred in what has been—basked as the greatest comedy since "The Awful Truth," Loretta Young and Melvyn Douglas may be seen at the York Theatre for the last time tonight in Columbia's "He Stayed for Breakfast." Alan Marshal, Eugene Pallette and Una O'Connor are featured members of the cast, and Alexander Hall directed the picture.

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Airports and Cities

There was considerably more truth than poetry to the remarks of Mr. Leslie Eyres, M.L.A., Chilliwack, when he addressed the House this week on the need for governmental aid with construction of civic airports. Said Mr. Eyres, a flying officer, "in the near future a city without an airport will be like a city without a harbor for ships." With that we agree heartily. Nor does it seem reasonable that the cities in Canada have been asked to do it alone, while at the same time a few centres have had public airports given to them by the Crown.

In the nature of things, an adequate commercial airport cost in excess of $1,000,000; how far in excess depending upon the actual amount of provision that is made upon the ground to establish this contact with the sky. To serve the vital interests of Canada airports must be considered in sequence, that is in relation to each other. They are neither haphazard nor sporadic affairs, but should follow a co-ordinated and wholly integrated plan, nation-wide in its scope.

So far Canada has not made adequate provision for what will have to be done in the future. Federal support to any community which will put an airport in the place on the air map where it is wanted should be immediate and clear. The Dominion should say now how far it will go to help, in precise terms. If the municipalities had that guarantee in sight, they would know how to proceed. As it is: they do not.

Mr. Eyres appealed for Provincial Government help in the matter, and there are instances where such help could be given easily and would be tremendously useful. At the same time, this is really a national responsibility, getting Canada on to the airways of the world. If the Dominion is not prepared to lead there, what we shall all wind up with will be a haphazard, guess-and-me patchwork of airports, far removed from what this country needs to hold its own in the future.

Victoria, today without adequate deepsea harbor works or a civil airport of its own, is acutely conscious of these factors. And Victoria does need help. Mr. Eyres has voiced what many like him from the flying services of this country have both seen and understood. Flying will come to those centres which go out to meet it, and not otherwise.

One Agreement Anyway

Great Britain, the United States and Russia are reported in agreement on what will be done about German merchant shipping. Germany, it is announced at London, will be permitted to keep one-seventh of her remaining seagoing tonnage, while the bulk of her tonnage will be removed from her control, with the suggestion that it will be divided among the victors. Germany had a vast network of inland waterways that her trade with the world through Hamburg and other ports had begun to boom before the war.

By limiting German ocean tonnage to a set figure, as here implied, the victors are also limiting Germany's trading position in the world. That is inevitable because world trade will continue to be the basis of nearly every internal economy. In short, there prospects are here deciding at what level Germany will be held in the postwar world. Stripped of her swollen war shipping and divested of six-sevenths of her remaining merchantile tonnage she will, however, be being allotted a comparatively minor role in the world's trade picture.

There is ironic justice in that, in view of the use that Germany made of the seas when through air power she came close to dominating them for a little while. On the other hand, here too, will be fuel for some future Hitler to feed those fires of "vengeance" which seem to start up so readily in that soil. The real test will be whether or not the German people as a whole have learned the lesson that war does not pay. If they have, future Hitlers will go without an audience. If they have not, some day all this may have to be done again. It will be a fortunate world if that time it has a league of nations which will stand together, and act.

Municipal Relations

The appointment of a commission to inquire into Provincial-municipal relations will result probably in the passage of a year before any provincial action can be implemented upon the findings of that report when it is available. It is not suggested that this delay is wilful, but it will be inevitable. In that case it will matter much to the municipalities of British Columbia that action is taken at this session on the Cameron education report, the chief head under which those centres may expect some help in the immediate future.

In so far as the municipalities are concerned, it has become fairly clear that the Province is collecting revenue approximating $40,000,000 yearly, and that their share in that up to the present has not risen proportionately by any means. Educational and hospital grants, some social service settlements and the statutory fixed grant under the Government Liquor Act have been in operation from the days when the Province's revenue was $21,000,000 per annum; if that. It is quite true that some of those disbursements have gone up in value in the interval, but the net statutory commitments of the Province to its municipalities has changed little.

Strong Provincial support now with the cause of education here, is of importance to eighty odd cities, towns and villages in British Columbia. It would hold the fort until the report of the current recommends has been presented and acted upon, and it would encourage those communities to continue to do their best all round. That support, in the long run, will pay off dividends in a matter of dollars and cents. How much is the Province prepared to place at the disposal of the municipalities at this time? Until that is known that fairly definitely these centres will be handicapped in their 1946 budgets.

Vandalism

Weak mentalities will always cost society some loss. It is not a surprise that the bill in the City of Victoria last year for light globes broken by vacant-minded youths was $1,000. In each of the last three years, and in many other centres of comparative size it was a good deal more. The very young, as well as the feeble-minded, are suffering also from the vagaries of an irresponsible age. One supposes that a large part of this mischief was unthinking, and that the damage was done by those who had not really thought that the sums to replace these light globes would come out of their father's pockets in time. However, that is no.

Some of the vandalism, however, was of a much more serious nature. It has been done by those who desired and intended to do damage. That is a very different thing. It is wrong, healed and wrong-hearted. It included the pulling up of whole beds of flowers in private and in public gardens, in sheer wilful destruction at Beacon Hill Park, in breakages on school and church property, and in smashes made at many another point. One is left to wonder at what will be the manhood of a youth who commences so, with a grudge against society.

The latter type of damage, that which was wilfully and intentionally done, seems to have been the work of older categories of boys, some well into their teens. That is where the attribute weak-minded should apply. If a lad of eighteen has not learned his own responsibility in the community he never will. It is a relief to turn to the vast majority of all youth, both boys and girls, who have come through those years unspoiled and unharmed. They are the people who will do things in Canada tomorrow, and it won't be breaking light cluster globes.

Seen in Passing

Every child ought to have a pet of his, or her, own once during life: not only for the love and affection which such an attachment bestows, but also to learn the responsibilities of an individual to all that lives and breathes. We make free to say that there never would be a "bad" boy if some day he was given, and shared in his day, snuggled down near his bed at night, or pulled the covers off him in the morning in eagerness to start the new day. Mankind is inherently good and cleanly, and it is only through distortion that these qualities become warped.

The world seems to be distilling from its nationalities the weeds and not the flowers. The fair play of the Briton, who had only a small land to cultivate, the thrift of the Scot, with his frugal living on the hills, the imagination of the Irish, with so little land to them besides fairies and their bogs, the lyrical joy of the Welsh—these have enriched the world. And so it is right across Europe, Africa and Asia if we had only the wit to see it and make use of the nature intended. The real treasures of the world are in its peoples, wherein no two individuals are alike. That, too, is where its genius resides.

Quiet Work

One lesson, Nature, let me learn of thee.
One lesson which in every wind is blown,
One lesson of two duties kept at one
Though the loud world proclaim their enmity—
Of toil unwearied from tranquillity.
Of labor, that in lasting fruit outgrows
Far nouser schemes, accomplished in repose
Too great for haste, too high for rivalry.
Yes, while on earth a thousand discords ring,
Man's fitful uproar mingling with his toil,
Still do thy sleepless monitors move on.
Their glorious tasks in silence perfecting;
Still working, blaming still our vain turmoil,
Laborers that shall not fail, when man is gone.

—MATTHEW ARNOLD

Pride must have a fall.—SHAKESPEARE

Where law ends, tyranny begins.
—WILLIAM PITT

You have not converted a man because you have silenced him.—JOHN MORLEY

Art is the child of nature.
—LONGFELLOW.

Delay of justice is injustice.
—W. S. LANDOR.

Great honours are great burdens.
—BEN JONSON.

No man can change the common lot to rare.
—THOMAS HARDY

Life is a shuttle.—SHAKESPEARE

Yacht Club

Frank M. Kelley

The Royal Victoria Yacht Club will celebrate its 84th anniversary as an organization this year. This just about makes it as old as any yacht club in these parts. Its first year, 1862, marked an international meet of the yachts of Victoria and Portland, a affair which resulted in the formation of the old Northwest Pacific Aquatic Association, still flourishing as the Pacific International Yachting Association.

This sport of yachting is undoubtedly the least commercialized of all sports, the sole emoluments of all sport to the individual. On top of the yacht, the boat and equipment his yotarios never have a chance, no matter how expert, they should become, to "cash in" on their hobby taking knowledge. Act is with sports tests for the America's Cup, so it is with the lads who sail the smallest craft in yacht club regattas—the reward for the winner is generally all of a pointless rosette on the back and handshakes from competitors and a bit of universe presented at the end of a season.

The Royal Victoria Yacht Club is of a pattern with similar organizations carrying on Mobile Canadian waterways, inland and seaside. Commodore, flag officers and members have always given freely of their services to foster and keep alive the traditions of a grand sport, although the yacht club never was for from smooth sailing at times. There were times when the tide ran strong, baffling and the tide ran strong against the organization. Maybe the circumstances will continue to prevail in the future; but, as in the past, the local club will always be able to get real lovers of the game who will navigate successfully even through "non-weather" weather.

GOOD PROSPECTS AHEAD

According to information furnished by Club Commodore Ian Lawrence, the Cadboro Bay organization is looking forward to the future ahead with better prospects in the offing than the tribulations have revealed since the club, because of harbor development, moved its quarters from Oak Bay in August 1940. Secretary Lawrence states, the club will carry on, meeting the needed improvements, particularly the breakwater.

Unlike the years between 1914 and 1918, when the club premises were closed, since 1940 the organization has made some progress, even though a fair-sized number of more active members served with Canada's forces, mainly the navy, for a yacht club is really made up of a first-rate training ground for lads who love sailing and who might at any time be called upon to serve with their country's sea forces. Most of the volunteers from the yacht club are now back and eager to resume activities. Cadets, boys and other racing courses when the sailing season gets away sometime in May.

One of the, or maybe we should state two, of the Victoria yachts manifest at Cadboro Bay have to do with the number of young cadets enrolled in its Junior Club, which has its own officers and the activities of Sea Cadets Auxiliary. The ladies have been instrumental, through auction sales and dances, in raising funds for the redecoration and refurbishing of the club rooms, while the juniors, numbering fifty keen sailors at present, keep alive with dances, entertainments, all phases of seamanship and find recreation in sailing the lassie craft. All this is good in the making of future citizens.

ANCHORAGE IS POPULAR

One improvement which this year's commodore, Dr. B. E. Wickenden (his flag officers and members would like to see materialize in the near future is the construction of a breakwater to protect the small craft from southeast storms. The only shelter between Victoria and Cadboro Bay, Cadboro Bay is used by row boats, fish and pleasure craft, anchored in addition to the club's fleet and, with visiting yachts as attracted to the bay from time to time. The value of the clubs small craft anchored in the bay during the winter exceeds $250,000, their owners being ill able to afford cost of repairs ashore unless anchored, which has sometimes happened.

This matter of a breakwater at Cadboro Bay has been requested by yacht club officials for quite a number of years. It has been promised, too. In 1939, the Department of Public Works was given authority to provide some protection for the small craft. The war intervened. In 1943, this breakwater was mentioned in post-war expenditure plans. At that time surveys were made. In 1944, Secretary Lawrence of the club was advised by the Public Works Department that the necessity for a breakwater was noted in the post-war reconstruction program, and there the matter rests.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

From The Daily Colonist of March 9, 1921.

Council Supports Board—The Saanich Council last night resolved its support to the Board, based on the coming teachers strike and declared the attitude of teachers in the following resolution: "That the council views with regret the attitude taken by the school teachers of Saanich, an attitude that is deeply deplored in the interest of the children, the teaching profession and the public at large."

FIFTY YEARS AGO

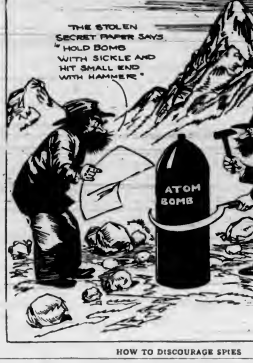
From The Daily Colonist of March 9, 1896.

The City—Notice has been given by Alderman MacDiarmid, that at the next meeting of the city council he will move the following statement of Mr. Andrew Shaw as poundkeeper. He will also introduce a resolution to the effect that applications be invited for the combined office of sanitary, sewerage and plumbing inspector, the time for receiving applications to expire on the 23rd instant.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

From The Daily Colonist of March 9, 1871.

Lumber Sale Low—The lumber market at San Francisco is very much depressed. Stocks are full and a proposition is pending among the fifteen dealers to dispatch no more ships to Puget Sound for lumber for the space of thirty-days so as to lower stocks.



HOW TO DISCOURAGE SPIES

World Food Shortages Are Pressing

By GEORGE MARTIN
British Information Bureau

LONDON, March 8 — Although Great Britain's population was supposed to be full stress of the World War through hostile air attacks, it willingly bore a further temporary cut of cheese and bacon rations, with similar cuts to help the stricken Continental countries. Although, thanks to the far-seeing policy of the Government, Britain's diet was sufficient and balanced at all times, the wartime menu was inevitably dull and monotonous and a stalwart was laid on sturdily foods like bread and potatoes, whose domestic production was considerably expanded by the magnificent efforts of Britain's farmers. Housewives were glad when at the beginning of the Winter the cuts were restored and hoped that the year 1946 would bring the beginning of an end to rations.

Therefore, when early in February new food restrictions were announced, it was natural that disappointment was generally felt. The withdrawal of the domestic allocation of dried eggs is an inconvenience. But this is due to financial reasons, since at present the utmost economy is required in dollar expenditure and the allocation will be restored, though probably on a reduced scale, in a few months' time. The renewed cut in the cooking fat ration, from two ounces to one, was unexpected, and the new measures for wheat economy will prevent us receiving in the domestic production of eggs, poultry and bacon.

The reintroduction of war loaf, with an extraction of 85 per cent, provides a more nutritious bread, although the dark loaf never became really popular in Britain. The higher extraction rate, however, involves a loss of milling offals at the rate of 300,000 tons a year. In addition, imports of coarse grain for feeding will also be reduced. In consequence, the allocations of feeding stuffs for pigs and poultry, which at present are sufficient for a quarter of the prewar numbers, will be based on one-third of these numbers from May 1, instead of a planned increase to one-third.

The necessity of these new reductions again throws the world food shortage into sharp relief. Britain has been clear for a long time that the increased requirements of the devastated countries in Europe were difficult to meet, owing to the world shortage in sugar, meat and fats. But it was hoped that what supplied would be just sufficient to tide over the Continent until the harvest. Now the wheat supplies are turning out smaller than was expected and requirements are increased owing to the increased demands of Asia through lack of rice.

Although the United States had a record wheat harvest last year, droughts reduced the crops in Australia, the Argentine, and North Africa in 1944-45, and now South Africa and India are suffering likewise from severe droughts. In Europe the 1945 harvest was the lowest since the outbreak of the Great War. 22,000,000 tons against 42,000,000 tons before the war, owing to lack of labor, equipment and fertilizers. The failure of the Indian rice harvest increases the need for wheat in Asia. If widespread famine is to be avoided, Wheat movements at present are at an all-time record, 2,000,000 tons, import requirements total over 11,000,000 tons. The rice crop in Asia, in India and the liberated countries, is estimated at 10,000,000 tons, while the total deficit of all grains, including rice in India, has been officially stated to be 20,000,000 tons. Britain has agreed to a reduction of her imports by 250,000 tons, which cannot be met out of stocks since these have already been reduced to a minimum. The world's position is also embarking on a program for economizing in the use of wheat. In rice, Britain can make no major contribution, since her consumption has always been relatively small. But to help the rice-producing countries, no rice has been imported during the last year and this policy will be continued. The fact that wheat and rice normally account each for roughly 20 per cent of the world's food consumption emphasizes the seriousness of the present shortage.

The shortage of cereals is bound also to affect the output of livestock products derived in short supply. Meat production may be maintained owing to the necessity for the slaughter of livestock Production in the Southern Hemisphere has fallen owing to drought, and in Europe livestock has been depleted. In North America, meat production has been raised, but consumption has also increased. Fat supplies are likewise reduced. One-half the prewar quantity of butter will enter world trade in the current year. Vegetable fats from the Far East are only slowly forthcoming The new reduction in the United Kingdom fat ration is the direct consequence of the rice shortage. Oriental nuts, which were to be imported from India, are not delivered, but consumed there to replace the lacking cereals. It is unfortunate that the whaling fleets, which for the first time since the war sailed again to the Antarctic, have achieved very poor results owing to unfavorable weather.

World sugar production is 18 per cent lower than before the war. Consumption on the European continent was less than 40 per cent of the prewar level in 1945, in spite of imports of about 1,000,000 tons. To restore the former consumption, imports of 3,500,000 tons would be necessary in the current year. But no stocks are available to draw upon. Thus the sombre picture of the world's present food position presents itself.

Observation Car

By G.B.

Many a young man has yet to learn that early to bed and early to rise does not mean going to bed at sunset and the morning and getting up early in the afternoon For instance, sometimes it will be necessary to pull down the walls that divide your bedroom into two units . . . Automobiles will again be banned on the island of Bali in the English East Indies, British troops depart. Until Nazis landed in 1940, many residents of the island had never seen an automobile . . . Europe is going to learn that an international system of safeguard of a free people . . . Statistics of the University of Washington geology department showed there were 41 earthquake tremors in Western Washington during the past 15 years. Epicentres are calculated on a line from the Olympic peninsula east . . . Mathematicians at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology have devised a method of identifying the approach of storms as far as 100 miles away by means of radar . . . The Canadian Restaurant Association, in convention, is considering classes for prospective cafe employees established in a number of secondary schools in Eastern Canada. At Washington, D.C., Dr. F. W. Reichelderfer, chief of the United States Weather Bureau, pointed out that scientists would have little effect on weather because it was puny when compared with the climate forces of nature . . . According to an item in the Shanghai Evening Post, the withdrawal from the streets by May, 1946, to make way for motorized traffic Rickisha is a contraction of the Japanese word Jin-riki-sha, which means "man-strength-car" . . . The reason so many persons seem ignorant because they spend so much time listening to themselves talk.

LONDON (CP)—Mr. T. W. Beards, assistant general manager of the Australian Broadcasting Commission, has arrived here to take up the post of London representative of the commission.

Sunrise and Sunset

MARCH

Times of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard) times at Victoria, B.C. for the month of March, 1946

Date	Sun-rise	Sun-set	Date	Sun-rise	Sun-set
1	6:34	17:27	17	6:04	18:31
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3	6:31	17:29	19	6:00	18:33
4	6:29	17:30	20	5:58	18:34
5	6:27	17:31	21	5:56	18:35
6	6:25	17:32	22	5:54	18:36
7	6:23	17:33	23	5:52	18:37
8	6:21	17:34	24	5:50	18:38
9	6:19	17:35	25	5:48	18:39
10	6:17	17:36	26	5:46	18:40
11	6:15	17:37	27	5:44	18:41
12	6:13	17:38	28	5:42	18:42
13	6:11	17:39	29	5:40	18:43
14	6:09	17:40	30	5:38	18:44
15	6:07	17:41	31	5:36	18:45
16	6:05	17:42			

Meteorological Office, Cornwallis Building, Victoria, B.C.

Tides at Victoria

MARCH

Date	Time	H'T	Time	H'T	Time	H'T	Time	H'T
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Letters to the Editor

In honor to the Editor will be thoughtful letters on topics of interest to the public. The address of the Editor. The rule applies to 250 words. The editor reserves the right to edit letters. Unsolicited correspondence should be returned.

A PLACE IN THE SUN

There are scattered throughout the heavens many suns of great dimensions and magnitude, and in the past few years they, with the aid of modern science and devices, have brought the many miles closer to us. Yet after all those centuries of work from those aged philosophers and scientists, gazing into the crystal ball and out into the beyond, they are able to give us little the information if there is another human like Besides this one here on earth. And while those astronomers work and figure, and America involves with the earth, how many of us give a thought to a race of men and women that has come to live with us from a planet far beyond.

Over five million American and Canadian men and women are returning back to our little world from that new planet, where they have resided for the last seven years. They were out there all by themselves, the greatest choice of human energy, brains and stamina, associating only with themselves and death. They lived a life from day to day, from minute to minute. Life was sweet, precious spark to hold and death stalked on the same path, snuffing that spark of every life one today, and maybe he dropped a hint that tomorrow he would be back for every ninth one, and the folds of the Made Leaf of death closed over every a last good-bye from their buddies. They carried on, regardless of this with death every hour; extracted him across the skies, hid from him beneath the waters of the ocean, outguessed him in the few holes; outmanoeuvred him on the battle field, and today they are coming back in droves and in dozens and in train loads. Back to a memory, back to a planet they once lived upon hundreds of years ago. Some of them lived centuries in a few short minutes. They spent years in a day physically and mentally, and today they are coming back to try to live our life. We, in our set ways, in our old age—we of the young; all of us that have been the mouthfuls—Relations to go with them; we are filling Ki-Ring Street Back again to try to make them live our ways, they will live their lives for we cannot go up to them.

They are men and women today, the world's choicest, yet it was only a few years ago that we rocked them to sleep, sometime hungry and cold, but it was God's vision into the future, making a better race. They left us as boys and girls and they are back with us today from that planet of death and destruction.

What will we do for them? Will God give us the strength and vision, we that stayed at home, to do something for these boys and girls when they come back to us? If we have been true to them through those years of slavery and torture, through those years of pain and anguish, through those years of sad and bloodshed, let us try to be the same to them now since they have come back. Let us not criticize or exile condemn or punish too harshly. Remember they are human again, as our forefathers were. "Immigrants of a new world." They have to learn a new language, new customs, a new trade, a new life and a new world. Let us try to help them, to wish the blood flows in one Royal Kingdom, that the heart beats in one true American, and the pulse throbs to one true Canadian, that Jackie Jack, the Stars and Stripes and the Maple Leaf will forever wave from the pinnacles of freedom.

J. J. SULLIVAN
Empress Hotel, Victoria, B.C.
March 8, 1946.

FINE WORLD POWERS

Sir—In today's Colonist there is a letter, otherwise well thought out and written, in which the writer states that "Britain and only two world powers.

This is, of course, a grave error, not easily understood by those of us who know that there are three world powers at present, namely, Great Britain, the United States, and Soviet Russia. It is to be hoped that France will soon make a fourth.

With the rest of Mr. Davis' letter I agree most heartily.

FREDERICK A. HAPPER,
2024 Chambers Street, Victoria, B.C.
March 8, 1946.

Editor's Note—By the terms of the United Nations Charter there are five world powers: Great Britain, the United States, Russia, France and China, all of which have permanent seats on the Security Council.

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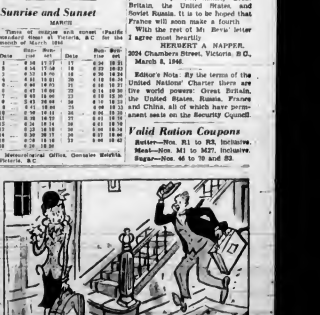

"If you're going home to mother, I'm coming, too — she always serves Fort Garry Coffee."

Government Policy on Forestry Is Criticized; Supports Sloan Report

If the forests of the province cannot provide revenue for the general welfare of the people, neither should they be allowed to make profits for the operators, Herbert Gargrave, C.C.F. whip and member for Mackenzie, declared in the Legislature yesterday.

Last speaker for the Opposition to the closing stages of debate on the Throne Speech, Mr. Gargrave attacked the Government on just about everything except the ability of Premier John Hart to obtain a letter deal for the province from Ottawa "from an orthodox financial point of view."

Dealing with the Sloan Report, he described it as a great indictment of post. Governments, of which most of the present "brain trust" were leading members at one time or another.

The Government, he asserted, could not afford to shrive the report for another year. Early and speedy action was essential if the forests were to be saved.

Only now, he charged, were forest logging operators, "conscienceless as they are," realizing that they had very nearly killed the goose that laid the golden egg, and becoming interested in conservation and replanting.

Reviewing the purchases of utilities by the Power Commission, he asserted that there would never be an effective publicly-owned power set-up in the province as long as there was the present attempt to run the really large and scattered areas, where distribution expenses were so great, under public ownership, and leave the compact, highly-settled areas under private ownership.

"The province is taking the skimmed milk and leaving the cream to the B.C. Electric and West Kootenay Power Corporation," he asserted.

The Government looked on those two concerns as "sacred cows," he said. They seemed to have more power with the Government than the wishes and welfare of the people.

He urged legislation covering the major points asked by labor, and claimed that one definite need was an increase in workmen's compensation to 100 per cent of earnings.

Honor Island Hero With Bronze Plaque

PORT ALBERNI, March 8 — A bronze plaque in memory of the late Edward J. Clinkard, killed overseas while serving in the Canadian Army, was unveiled by H. P. Nightingale at Alberni Residential School. Rev. T. E. Pilkington was in charge of the service.

Yesterday in The House

The throne speech debate was approved without division, putting the way for members to deal with billbearing measures.

Conclusion came after the great, road-building program in British Columbia's history was announced by Norris Minister of Lands, Forests and Mines, Hon. Gerald Grant McDiarmid, who announced that

Social and Personal

... Entertaining in honor of their daughters, Miss Judy Wilks and Miss Pat Greenhill, Mr. and Mrs. N. Sherstone Wilks and Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Greenhill were hosts at a dance last evening at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club. The invited guests were the Misses Helen Robinson, Pam Fraser, Gay Elkington, Joan Hudson, Elspeth Macdonald, Anthea Kearly, Helen Hill, Peggy Woodhouse, Marjory Wade, Joan Churchill, Beryl Nelson, Mary Street, Deborah Hardison, Joyce Lytton, Janet Dennison, Pat Henderson, Pat Brown, Helen Cox, Toni Morgan, Ruth Wickham, Joan Bear, Jane Kee, Marilyn Irvings, Beth Colliton, Anne Colliton, Anne Tatlow, Margaret Cole, Peggy Godfrey, Anne Teakle, Mary Church, Molly Sykes, Mary Richardson, Sally Woods, Anne Clark, Jane Strellett, Pam Greenhill, Cadets Fitzgerald, Dyment, Wilkins, H. Clarke, T. Mayhard, J. Donald, J. S. Ker, P. Dunbar, J. Manore, M. A. Martin, P. McCulloch, J. McGibbon, K. Lewis, J. Fulton, J. McDonald, H. Ellis, D. J. Ker, S. Hopkins, T. Creery, V. Lambie, K. Carruthers, O. Carrie, D. Steele, W. Davis, T. Bayley, H. Thomas, H. Frost, B. Reford, R. Dietz, W. Tilden, and Mr. B. McLaughlin, Mr. D. Yule, Mr. D. McLean, Mr. T. Moore, Mr. J. Moore, Mr. B. Robinson, Mr. J. Proctor, Mr. A. Stewart, Mr. P. Jones, Mr. B. Levy and Mr. D. Colliton.

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Dr. W. L. Watt, London, England, is registered at the Empress Hotel.

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Miss Betty Merrill, Klamath Falls, Oregon, is holidaying in Victoria for a few days at the Empress Hotel.

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Toronto visitors residing at the Empress Hotel are Mr. and Mrs. Fawcett and Mr. M. J. Canfield.

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Lieut.-Comdr. and Mrs. J. T. Lee, Halifax, are holidaying at the Empress Hotel.

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W. D. Davies, Rev. L. P. Mentour and J. E. Lafferty are Ottawa visitors registered at the Empress Hotel.

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Mrs. Stewart Holmes, of Ganges, is a visitor in the city, a guest at the Strathcona Hotel.

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Vancouver guest shopping at the Empress Hotel include C. T. McCallum, H. S. Stringer, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Morrison and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. E. Pesler.

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A dinner party for 14 in honor of Mr. W. H. M. May was held at his home, Ash Street, Monday evening, on the occasion of his 80th birthday.

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Mrs. R. T. Clark, Vancouver, is spending a few days at the Empress Hotel. She was a former resident of Oak Bay.

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Mrs. H. A. MacDonell left yesterday to return to her home in Port Arthur after spending a week at the Empress Hotel.

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Mrs. R. J. Jameson, Mrs. T. G. Shoppard, Mrs. M. Macmillan, of Victoria, and Mrs. J. B. Paulson, of Portland, Oregon, were visitors at Yellow Point Lodge on Thursday.

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Prairie visitors at the Empress Hotel include Pte.-Lieut. and Mrs. H. B. Clark, Calgary, Flying Officer and Mrs. W. Purnne and Mr. S. W. Whyte, all from Winnipeg.

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Mrs. Herbert Anscomb, wife of the Minister of Public Works, Railways and Municipal Affairs, entertained at tea yesterday afternoon at her Newport Avenue home when guests were wives of Cabinet ministers.

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Out of town guests at the Trans-Mesher nuptials last evening were Mrs. C. E. Trans and Miss Shirley Trans, mother and sister of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Walker, Mr. Bud and Mr. Jack Atkinson, Mrs. F. Youngbloud, all of Vancouver; Mrs. V. Territ and her daughter, Miss Jean Territ, aunt and cousin of the bride, Powell River, B.C.; Mr. Jack Kinney and Mr. T. Bradford, both of Vancouver.

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On the occasion of their first wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Butler, Stanley Avenue, entertained at a party Wednesday evening. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. Masters, Mr. and Mrs. P. Rutledge, Mr. and Mrs. C. Rutledge, Mr. and Mrs. P. Rutledge, Miss Lorraine Dye, Patsy Rutledge, K. Dye, M. Lloyd, Mr. E. Erickson, Mrs. G. Hector, of Regina, Mr. and Mrs. M. Robertson, of Sooke, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Moir, of Campbell River.

Singer Is a Scot and Proud of It

JEAN WATSON, brilliant contralto who will sing tonight at the Royal Victoria, is Scottish-Canadian and proud of it. She has attempted to disguise her nationality with an exotic stage name, and she has not forgotten that she was born at Dunnamore on the Clyde. Canada's claim upon her is that she lived for a long time in St. Thomas, Ontario, where she is known as a girl who made good.

Booked for St. Thomas in the course of her first long Canadian tour, she will be greeted by a house sold out three times over.

She is never happier than when singing folk songs of her native Scotland, which have charmed even sophisticated New York audiences.

Winner of scholarship after scholarship at Toronto Conservatory of Music, Miss Watson came to New York in 1940. Since then her rise to fame has been rapid. She sang with four of the orchestras of leading symphony orchestras—Boston, Philadelphia, Rochester and New York Philharmonic. Before her name was known, Serge Koussevitsky, of the Boston Symphony, heard one aria and booked her for four appearances.

Interviewed yesterday at the Empress Hotel, she said she was sticking to sing French and Italian operas. She doesn't like German lieds, and pronounces English impossible. She is booked next year for tours of Britain and South America.

Miss Watson has two brothers in Britain and relatives in Canada; likes swing and Canadian football. Her chief hobby: crazy hats.

—Cover pl. Photo.

"Open Field for Domestics" Mrs Rex Eaton Tells Women

"Conditions, wages and hours offered to domestic servants are now much more attractive than they were before the war but women cannot seem to overcome their accumulated aversion to this type of employment," said Mrs. Rex Eaton, Vancouver, associate director of the National Employment Service speaking before a public meeting at the Victoria Youth Centre Hall was sponsored by the Women's Round Table.

Mrs. Eaton said this was one field women could enter without any prejudice and that the demand was great.

Studying the record of female employment during the past few years, Mrs. Eaton stated that with the outbreak of war, 420,000 more women took jobs, plus 35,000 in the armed services. October, 1944 was the peak employment period for women, she stated when a total of 1,150,000 were employed as compared to 638,000 in 1939.

Mrs. Eaton said surveys showed that a great majority of married women who held wartime jobs had returned or were returning to home life, but that in spite of this she believed a larger number of married women would seek employment in the years to come than did prior to the war.

"There is no prejudice against the married women who must work," said Mrs. Eaton, but the tragedy is that she must tell her story."

Mrs. Eaton also thought if the sale of the disposed war worker could be had a job, it might soften the jolt for the family until her husband was suitably placed again.

Prejudice did exist she said, against the married woman who didn't have to work for personal necessity, but cited many cases including married dressmakers, writers, sitters, artists who while not necessarily obliged to work, were unchallenged in the labor market.

For Brides-Elect

Honoring Miss Valerie Turner, who is being married shortly, Mrs. Annie McMorse entertained Wednesday evening at a miscellaneous shower at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. Guy, 1130 North Park Street. Corsages were presented to the guest and her mother. Gifts were concealed in a pink decorated basket. Guests included Mrs. L. Foster, Mrs. J. Crompton, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. M. Paquin, Mrs. A. Chase, Mrs. Walkemyer, Mrs. J. Barnard, Mrs. Alice Cox, Mrs. J. F. Cox, Mrs. A. McNiece, Miss Valerie Turner, Miss Vivienne Yates, Miss Natalie Brooks, Miss Ethel Kipp, Miss Ivy McNee, Mrs. Percy McDonald, Miss Olga Prokosh, Miss Alice George, Miss Vera Parfitt, Miss D. Pierson, Miss Ethel Wilson, Miss Kay Heap, Miss Betty Blokes, Miss Eleanor Watson and Miss Gloria Stokes.

Miss Freda Green, who is leaving shortly for England to be married to Mr. Geoffrey Mason, was guest of honor at a shower given by Mrs. E. Siddall, Mrs. J. H. Gardner and Miss Marjorie Siddall at the home of the former, 1033 Pemberton Street. Corsages were presented to the honoree and her mother, Mrs. G. C. Green. Gifts, under the skirts of an old-fashioned doll, were presented to the bride-elect by Masters Bryan and Donald Gardner. A bowl of carnations and iris, flanked by pink tapers in cut-glass holders, centred the supper table. Guests were Mrs. A. P. Stevens, Mrs. J. E. Fair, Mrs. P. Green, Mrs. T. Stevenson, Mrs. A. McCaw, Mrs. C. Trotter, Mrs. S. Green, Mrs. P. Hakker, Mrs. I. Green, Mrs. W. Van Druten, Mrs. N. Green, Mrs. A. C. Gunning, Mrs. R. T. Mussing, Mrs. G. Robinson, Mrs. R. K. Jackson, Mrs. H. Bird, Mrs. W. H. M. May, Mrs. H. McCaw, Mrs. K. G. Viger and Misses Kate Green, Helen Stevens, Muriel Wright, Isabel Parkinson, Stevenson, Kathryn Ann Murphy and Frances Green.

Last evening Miss Evelyn Taylor, a bride-elect of this month, was the guest of honor when Mrs. Alice Graham and Mrs. B. Livingstone entertained at a miscellaneous shower at the home of the former, 1141 Lee Avenue. The many gifts were presented in a basket decorated with white marguerites. Pink carnations and violets formed the effective centrepiece for the supper table. The guests were Mrs. C. A. Taylor, Mrs. J. Wilby, Mrs. E. McLagan, Mrs. C. Pressey, Mrs. M. Sopher, Mrs. E. Young, Mrs. T. Hubbard, Mrs. O. Taylor, Mrs. T. Crowther, Mrs. R. Ward, Mrs. A. Taylor, Mrs. Baron, Mrs. I. Fleming, Mrs. Hasham, Mrs. Byatt, Mrs. Sommerville and Misses M. Sands, Abbie Morris and Olive Brown.

Mrs. Frank Scott, Ganges Harbor, Mr. and Mrs. Y. Case Morris, of North Salt Spring and Mrs. A. J. Smith and Miss M. Redford of Ganges, have been spending a few days in Victoria, guests at the Dominion Hotel.

Important Servicewomen Become Responsible Part of Community

"It is important we do everything we can to see that servicewomen become responsible part of the community again and not a separate group of war veterans," Dr. Olive Russell, Ottawa, executive assistant to the Director-General of Rehabilitation, Department of Veterans' Affairs, told a meeting of women members of the Victoria Rehabilitation Council in the council's office yesterday afternoon.

Those who had returned from the women's services to civilian life should be helped to assume the responsibilities of citizenship, Dr. Russell said. They did not ask to be coddled, but deserved recognition of their service. Understanding between veterans and civilians should be promoted, she said.

"Women in Canada haven't grasped the significance of the unique contribution made by servicewomen to the status of women," said Dr. Russell, recalling how ability their pay was raised from two-thirds to equal with that earned by men in the services, with full trade pay and dependents' allowances.

During the war 50,000 enlisted in the armed forces, Dr. Russell said. Half of these had been discharged. Canada had 7,000 servicewomen overseas on VE Day. One in every 20 enlistments and one in ten Pacific volunteers was a woman.

LEVEL OF EDUCATION HIGHER THAN CIVILIANS

Servicewomen's level of education was higher than civilians,' Dr. Russell said. New skills learned in the services were in many cases proving useful. Demand from employers for ex-servicewomen exceeded the supply.

Of those discharged, 9,000 had gone back into the Veterans' Employment Service, an estimated 5,000 had found work on their own, 2,000 had been reinstated, an estimated 4,000 had returned to their homes or were "married and settled down," Dr. Russell said.

An encouraging sign in British Columbia was the recognition of the need for employment for all, veterans and civilians, Dr. Russell said.

Mrs. A. J. Tullis asked Dr. Russell's solution for the problem of servicemen and servicewomen who grow physically and mentally in the service and are faced with frustration after returning to a civilian job and life. Dr. Russell suggested:

Great ingenuity would be necessary to banish this feeling of frustration, Dr. Russell replied. For some veterans, there would come a chance to take jobs in keeping with their increased capacity for leadership. For others, there would be an opportunity of citizenship rights provide an outlet.

The lot of the domestic worker would not be improved nor the demand for domestic workers met until the attitude of regarding them as part of a lower stratum of society was abolished, Dr. Russell said in answer to another question.

Donate $260 for Jubilee Hospital Incubator

Mr. James and Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., donated $260 to the Jubilee Hospital for a baby incubator and $10 to the War Memorial fund at the meeting Thursday afternoon. Gifts donated were $10 to the Mervin Cummings visitor fund, $10 to Jessie Burke cancer fund.

Conveners of standing committees were appointed as follows: Mrs. W. Middleton, Gift Guides; Mrs. W. K. Armstrong, films and chief counselor; Mrs. B. J. Stuckey, flowers; Mrs. R. L. Brain, ex-service personnel; Mrs. E. McArthur, Empire study and educational secretary; Mrs. May, nation officer.

Mrs. D. J. Mugford was appointed provincial delegate. Mrs. H. Goodfellow reported on plans for the anniversary of Victoria tea to be held in the Empress on March 14.

My Neighbor Says:

Early in the Spring the Amaryllis throws up a fine list of foliage, but soon it completely dies away. Do not think that the bulb has been lost when this happens. In a month or six weeks after long foliage has died you find flower stems shooting through the earth and growing rapidly.

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Weddings

HODSON-BORDE

The marriage of Frances Mary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Borde, 1058 Pembroke Street, to Joseph Hodson, son of Mr. J. O. Hodson, Southampton, Hants, England, and the late Mrs. Hodson, took place last evening at St. John's Church with Rev. George Biddle performing the ceremony. The bride, attired in a white taffeta gown featuring princess lines with sweetheart neckline, bib-point sleeves and skirt slightly en trainé, was given in marriage by her father. Her veil of misty tulle swept to the floor from a wreath of orange blossome. Carnations and roses in two shades of pink formed her shower bouquet and a pearl necklace, the gift of the groom, complimented her charming ensemble. Mrs. N. A. Bouchard was her sister's only attendant, and wore a gown of pink taffeta with bandeau of fresh flowers and shoud of pink net. She carried a bouquet of pink carnations and mauve sweet peas. The bridesman was Mr. W. A. Bouchard as his best man and Mr. A. B. Morley ushered. During the signing of the register, Mrs. M Bartlett, accompanied by Mr. T. R. Myers, organist, played "Love's Coronation." A reception for 60 guests was held at the home of the bride's parents following the wedding ceremony. For a honeymoon trip up the Island, the bride wore a pearl grey suit with fuchsia topcoat, black accessories and rose and orchid corsage.

HORNE—SEDDON

At Centennial United Church last evening, Rev. W. R. Ashford officiated at the marriage of Catherine Elizabeth, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Seddon, Lansdowne Bridge Street, to Gerald B. Horne, youngest son of Paymaster Lieut. J. G. B. Horne, R.C.N.V.R. (retired), and Mrs. Horne, 2628 Albina Street. Miss Hilda Kirkby presided at the organ and during the signing of the register Mrs. Vivian McCaskill sang "I Walk Beside You." Given in marriage by her father, the bride was radiant in a beautiful gown of white moire silk slightly en trainé, fashioned with a bib of Valenciennes lace and long-pointed sleeves. Her fingertip veil cascaded from a short tomorrow headdress. A shower bouquet of roses, sweet peas and carnations completed the bride's charming ensemble. The attendants were Mrs. B. Hawkings, sister of the bride, as matron of honor, and Miss Gloria Fregard, the bridesmaid, dressed alike in blue crepe with turquoise blue mere jackets, white collars and shoulder yoks and carrying Colonial bouquets of Spring flowers. Miss Sandra Chatfield, niece of the bride, was the dainty flower girl, in a pearl taffeta frock piped with turquoise blue, matching collar and carrying a small Colonial bouquet. The best man was Staff Sgt. John Seddon, R.C.A.F.C., brother of the bride, and the ushers were Mr. Jack Hawkings and Mr. B. Seddon, eldest brother of the bride. Following the ceremony, a reception for 100 guests was held at the Y.W.C.A. where Mrs. Seddon and Mrs. Horne assisted the couple in receiving. Mr. J. Brown gave the toast to the bride. For a honeymoon trip on the Lower Mainland and the State of Washington, the bride wore a beige dressmaker suit with chocolate brown accessories, hat and accessories, and a corsage bouquet of gardenias. Mr. and Mrs. Horne will make their home on Balmoral Road.

TRAN—MESHER

The bride's flowers was the scene of a pretty wedding last evening when Rev. George Biddle solemnized the marriage of Alexander Joseph Jean Catherine, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Mesher 90 Dallas Road, and Charles Garfield Tran, only son of Mrs. C. E. Tran, Pendrell Street, Vancouver.

Attired in white taffeta fashioned with sweetheart neckline, bible sleeves pointed over the wrists form-fitting bodice and long full skirt with train, the lovely bride was given in marriage by her father. Her long embroidered veil was arranged under a pearl coronet and she carried a bouquet of red roses, white carnations and freesias. A single strand of pearls worn by her mother at her wedding, was the bride's only adornment. There were three attendants in pastel frocks. Miss Dorothy Kermode as maid of honor chose green; Miss Shirley Tran, sister of the groom, were mauve, and Miss Joan Terrien, cousin of the bride, was in blue. They wore caps with chapel veils to match their gowns, and carried bouquets of Spring flowers. Mr. Jack Kinney supported the bridegroom, and the ushers were Mr. Trevor Bradfield and Mr. Joe Isherwood.

While the register was being signed Miss Phyllis Guest sang "Because." with Mr. T. R. Myers at the organ.

The couple welcomed 100 guests at a reception held in Terry's roadroom following the ceremony. Col. John Adams, Vancouver, proposed the toast to the bride.

The bride's costume for the honeymoon in Vancouver and Seattle, was composed of a chocolate-brown dressmaker suit with muskrat coat, brown hat trimmed with lime green, and corsage bouquet of mauve orchids. The couple will reside in Victoria for the present.

CALLERY—LEE-H

In New Orleans La., February 16, the marriage of Dorothy Irene Orchin, daughter of Mrs. E. Mae Orchin, 916 Russell Street, to Edward Joseph Callery, second son of Mrs. Juliette Callery, Houston, Tex., and the late Mr. George Callery, took place with Justice Greg Lannes performing the double ring ceremony. The bride wore a navy blue blue tailleur with American Beauty feather hat, matching accessories and corsage bouquet of orchids and and corsage bouquet of orchid and stocks, was attended by Mrs. Frances Brown and Mr. Jaine Zeigler. The bridesmaid wore a Mr. Grayson Brown to his best man.

A reception for 50 guests was held in the blue room of Hotel Roosevelt following the ceremony. For a honeymoon trip by the Texas and route to Victoria to visit the bride's mother, the bride chose a blue wool model suit, if green with gold topcoat, Mexican sombrero and a corsage bouquet of Talisman roseboud. Mr. and Mrs. Callery will make their future home in New Orleans.

Red Cross Notes

Mount Tolmie Unit Red Cross will meet at St. Aidan's Hall, Tuesday at 2.30 p.m. Members are urged to return sewing and knitting at this meeting.

Proceeds of the silver tea held recently by Prospect Lake Unit, Red Cross, which amounted to $11.70, has been sent to headquarters. The next meeting will be held March 16 at 2.30 p.m.

Women's Institutes

Regular meeting of the Royal Oak Women's Institute will be held in the institute hall, March 14, at 2.30 p.m.

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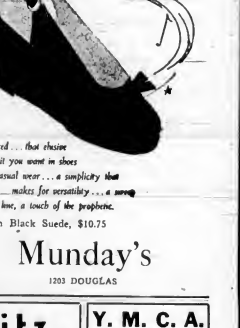

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Engagements
Mr and Mrs W E Nash, of Vancouver, B.C., wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Estella Gladys to George Thomas Dickson, youngest son of Mr and Mrs D Dickson of Victoria. B.C. The marriage to take place in Vancouver in the middle of May.

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Sunday Church Services in Victoria and District

Societies

W.A. to the Britannia Branch Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L. will meet Tuesday at 8 p.m.

St. John's Afternoon Branch W.A. will meet Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. in the auditorium.

Mrs. F. Crossman will be hostess to the P.N.O. club at her home, 57 North Turner Street, on Wednesday. Phone E 9664 for reservations.

Women's Guild of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church will hold a St. Patrick's tea in the lecture room of the church, Broughton Street, March 16 from 3 to 5:30 p.m.

Annual meeting of the Royal Jubilee Hospital Alumnae will be held on Monday at 8 p.m. in the Nurses' Home. All members are urged to attend.

Women's Progressive Conservative Association will meet at the home of Mrs. Sinclair Kimball, 1930 Ash Street, Wednesday, March 13, at 2 p.m.

Local Council of Women full executive including convenors and presidents of all affiliated societies, will meet Monday at 2 p.m. in the Y.W.C.A.

Monthly meeting of St. Columba W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. G. Even, Belgrave Road. Arrangements were made for a May Day tea. Rev. Hitchcox gave a talk on the breed of more consecrated service in every branch of church work. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. R. Stevens, Violet Avenue.

Mrs. A. Carmichael, consumer branch, W.P.T.B., spoke on prevention of frostbite at the Zetetic Club meeting. Thursday night, in the Union Building. Mrs. Sylvia Lyons gave a financial report on the recent Bazaar. The president, Miss Frances Paterson, was in the chair. She welcomed two guests, Miss Wyn Baxter and Miss Ethel Hole. A supper meeting will be held March 21, arranged by Mrs. Mary Hampson.

Mrs. A. H. Stevenson, Connaught Lane, entertained the members of the Women's Missionary Society of Wilkinson Road Church Wednesday afternoon. General business was transacted and Mrs. E. Boorman is organizing a mission band at her home next week. Heralds on Africa and India were given by Mrs. D. Caudell and Mrs. H. Stevenson. Mrs. J. Thomson and Mrs. A. Allsopth will make arrangements for the next meeting to be held at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Thomson.

The Christian community at Rome is believed to have been founded sometime between the years 41 and 54.

Baptist

FIRST

"Comfort for Those Who Fail" will be the sermon subject tomorrow morning. Thomas Krieway will be the soloist. Topic of the evening sermon will be "Jesus in the Midst." The church ladies' quartette will be heard during the service.

EMMANUEL

Rev. H. W. Kerley, of Belmont United Church, will be the guest speaker during the morning service. In the evening the pastor, Rev. W. L. McKay, will speak on the subject, "The Passing Christ." Dr. David Parfitt will lead the song service.

Christian Science

"Mind" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, which will include the following passage from the Bible: "Man that is born of a woman is of few days, and full of trouble. He cometh forth like a flower, and is cut down: he fleeth also as a shadow, and continueth not" (Job xiv. 1, 2).

Salvation Army

CITADEL CORPS

Major J. Steele, Major M. Pitchman and Major Honeychurch will conduct special week-end meetings commencing today at 8 p.m. A holiness meeting will be held Sunday at 7:30 p.m. Major E. Brunsdon will be in charge of the "Torchbearers" meeting on Monday at 8 p.m.

British-Israel

VICTORIA

A Duthrie will be the speaker at the meeting to be held Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the lower hall of the First Baptist Church. His subject will be "Brains for Ashes." The Dominion Prayer League will meet in the YWCA on Friday next at 2:30 p.m. under the leadership of Mrs. G. E. Allres Coley.

Spiritualist

OPEN DOOR

Rev. E. Miller will be guest speaker tomorrow morning. Her subject will be "Spiritual Healing." The evening theme will be "Your Guardian Angel's Work From Birth to Passing." Rev. Dr. Holden. Clairvoyance will be given at the close of both services. On Monday at 8 p.m. the message circle will be held, and on Thursday at 8 p.m. healing and message will be given.

FIRST

At 7:30 p.m. Rev. R. Stonson will lecture on "A Spirit Temple" and will give clairvoyance. Soloist will be Mrs. McDonald.

Other Denominations

ABSOLUTE SCIENCE

Services will be held in the Campbell Building tomorrow at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

TRUTH CENTRE

Rev. Emma M. Bunley will speak tomorrow morning on "The Healing Consciousness." Her evening subject will be "The Code of Living."

Anglican Services

Christ Church Cathedral

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

HOLY COMMUNION—8 and 9:30 A.M.

MATINS—11 A.M.

Preacher: THE DEAN

EVENSONG—7:30 P.M.

Preacher: THE LORD BISHOP

Tomorrow Will Be Followed by an Illustrated Lecture Entitled "Pictures of Canterbury Cathedral"

Canterbury Cathedral

Illustrating the Life of the Church of England

Narrator MISS WILLINGTON, O.B.E., of Canterbury

ST. JOHN'S

Quadra Near Pandora

Rev. George Biddle, L.Th., Rector

8 A.M.—Holy Communion

11 A.M.—THE LORD BISHOP

7:30 P.M.—Organ Prelude

Mr. T. B. Hayes

7:30 P.M.

"STANDING UP TO IT"

Preacher: The Rector

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13

8 P.M.—Confirmation Class

The Story of the Prodigal Son" in Sound Motion Pictures.

8 P.M.—Sewing for Children

ST. MARY'S

OAK BAY

Holy Communion at 8:30 A.M.

Members of A.Y.P.A. to Attend

Matins and Sermon at 11 A.M.

Preacher: Rev. F. Cawley

Evensong With Sermon at 7 P.M.

Preacher: The Rector

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sessions at 9:45 Juniors at 11 A.M.

WEDNESDAY

Lenten Service at 8 P.M.

THURSDAY

Holy Communion at 10:30 A.M.

Rector Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunns

ST. BARNBAS'

Cor. Cook Street and Fairfield Avenue

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

Holy Communion—8 A.M.

Matins 9 Mass and Sermon 11 A.M.

Evensong and Sermon—7:30 P.M.

Holy Communion Daily at 7:30 A.M.

Boys' Wednesday 4 P.M. Girls' Friday 4:30 P.M.

Evening and Sermon Wednesday, 7:30

Rev. R. G. Moore, Rector

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Rev. Donald L. Gordon, Minister

11 A.M.—Morning Prayer and Sermon Subject:

"GIVING THINE THE PRIORITY"

7:30 P.M.—Evening Prayer and Sermon Subject

"THE SIND OF BELIEVING WAS NEED"

All Are Welcome

EVANGELISTIC TEMPLE

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HEAR

REV. R. A. and EFFIE REYNOLDS

11 A.M.—IMPATIENCE OF IMPERFECT FAITH

7:30 P.M.—IS ATOMIC WAR COMING?

Atomic bomb factories in U.S. work 24-hour Sez—enough 80,000 workers (Turn left upon Atomic-America's military secret). Why? What does the Bible say about this? Be interested as to what lies ahead

FAMILY CONVALESCENTIAL BINGO

SUNDAY SCHOOL, 9:45 A.M.

WEEKNIGHTS—TUES., BIBLE STUDY; FRI., YOUNG PEOPLE, 8 o'CLOCK

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"PEACE MAKERS IN INDIA"

MORNING SERVICE: 11 A.M.—MR. TAYLOR

"A SUPERLATIVE MESSAGE"

CLOSING SERVICE: 7:30 P.M.—MR. TAYLOR

"THREE YEARS PRISONER OF THE JAPANESE"

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CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

Holy Communion will be celebrated tomorrow at 8 a.m. and 8:30 a.m. A service of music by Dean S. H. Elliott will be heard at 11 a.m. Evensong will be sung at 7:30 p.m. The Lord Bishop will speak briefly. Following the service an exhibition of pictures of Canterbury Cathedral illustrating the life of the Church of England will be shown. Miss Margaret Babington, O.B.E., will be narrator.

ST. JOHN'S

The Lord Bishop will be the preacher at the morning service. At 7:30 p.m. the rector, Rev. George Biddle, will preach on the subject, "Standing Up To It." Holy Communion will be celebrated at 8 a.m. and Sunday school and Bible classes will be held at 11 a.m. During the mid-week Lenten devotions on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Cathedral film's sound motion picture, "The Story of the Prodigal Son" will be shown. A showing for children will be held at 5 p.m.

ST. MARY'S

Members of the Anglican Young People's Association will attend the early celebration of Holy Communion tomorrow at 8:30 a.m. Matins and sermon will take place at 11 a.m. Rev. F. Cowley, preacher. Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunns will preach the evening sermon. A short service will be held in the church for

FAIRFIELD UNITED CHURCH

Fine Pastor, Rev. W. Allan

11 A.M.—Subject: "Two Men in Church"

Anthem: "Lord, Thy Mercy Lasteth Ever" Mrs. Pitt and Mrs. Gordon Power

Assisting in Musical Service

7:30 P.M.—Subject: "Right On to the End of the Road"

Soloist: Mr. Ernest Pittenbaugh

Ed Cleobury Organist

FIRST UNITED CHURCH

Cor. Quadra Street and Balmoral Road

Victoria, B.C.

Rev. Hugh A. McLeod, M.A., D.D., Minister

Mr. Ernest Wright, Choir Director

Miss Kathleen Gregson, Organist

Guest Preacher: REV. W. W. McPHERSON, M.A., D.D., of Oak Bay United Church

11 A.M.—"THE GOSPEL"

Anthem: "Lord, Our Gracious Guardian"

7:30 P.M.—"FOUR MEN" MOVING

Anthem: "Rest of Ages" (Buck)

Metropolitan United Church

Corner Pandora Avenue and Quadra Street

Pastor: Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, B.D., D.D.

Organist and Choirmaster: Ernest Hallsworth

11 A.M.—"WHEN GOD HAS JESUS TOUGHT" (Talk to Children on the Two Commandments)

7:30 P.M.—"The Deeper Satisfaction"

Dr. Whitehouse Will Preach at Both Services

6:30 A.M.—Church School, Intermediates and Senior Students

11 A.M.—Church School, Juniors, Beginners, Primary and Nursery

A Fellowship Hour for Men and Women of the Services and Young People at the Close of the Evening Service

CENTENNIAL UNITED CHURCH

Corner Bond Street Extensions Street

Minister: Rev. W. D. Ashbee, B.A.

Choir Director: J. W. Buckler

Organist: Miss Hilda Kirkby

9:45 A.M.—Nursery School and Bible Class

11 A.M.—"WE ARE RECONCILED TO GOD"

Morning Anthem: George Crosby

7:15—Song Service

7:30 P.M.—"THE FAITHFUL"

The Choral Song—"I LIFT MY HEART YOU WANT ME TO CALL" (Lyon) Given in Song and Story

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21st ANNIVERSARY SERVICES

Guest Preacher: Rev. N. A. McLeod, M.A., D.D., First United Church

11 A.M.—"PASSING ON THE GOOD NEWS"

7:30 P.M.—"THE CENTRE OF LIFE AND FAITH"

MONDAY—8 P.M., Social Gathering of Congregation

Lecture by Dr. H. A. McLeod "Wishing Will Not Fancies"

Musical Program - Refreshments

Admission - 50c

Presbyterian

ST. ANDREWS

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at morning worship. The sermon, morning and evening, will be conducted by the minister, Rev. J. Lewis M. McLean. At the evening service Mr. McLean will continue the sermon series entitled "Questions the Bible Is Speaking on What Is This Profound?" Mrs. P. Maitland and Mrs. W. Grant will sing a duet in the evening.

ST. PAUL'S

Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. will be conducted by the minister, Rev. Walter Ross. The morning sermon subject will be "Rebellion Against Light." And in the evening Mr. Ross will speak on "Selling Our Birthright." The choir will be heard at both services.

GUIDE

Rev. T. H. McAllister, the minister, will conduct services tomorrow at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH NOTICES

CHRISTADELPHIAN

Christadelphian, Royal Rank Hall, corner of Fort and Cook Streets. Priority meetings at 7 p.m.

GOSPEL HALL

Gospel Hall, Lampson Street and Gorge Road. Sunday, 11 a.m. Breaking of bread and Bible service. 7 p.m. Gospel service speaker: Sir Ernest Petter. Wednesday, 8 p.m. Prayer and Bible study. Friday, 7 p.m. The children's meeting.

Gospel Hall

Gospel Hall, corner Hillside and Quadra Streets. Sunday, 11 a.m. Breaking of bread and Bible study. 7 p.m. The Lord's Supper. 3 p.m. Sunday school. 7:30 p.m. Gospel service. Speaker: Mr. Ernest Pittenbaugh. Wednesday, 8 p.m. Prayer and Bible study. Friday, 7 p.m. Children's meeting.

Gospel Hall

Gospel Hall, Fairfield Road. Sunday, 11 a.m. Breaking of bread and Bible study. 7 p.m. Gospel service. Speaker: Mr. Ernest Pittenbaugh. Wednesday, 8 p.m. Prayer and Bible study. Friday, 7:30 p.m. Children's meeting.

LUTHERAN

Victoria Gospel Hall, 835 Pandora Avenue (1 p.m. Sunday Bible Study of Bible). 7 p.m. Gospel service. Speaker: Mr. Ernest Pittenbaugh. Wednesday, 8 p.m. Prayer and Bible study. Friday, 7:30 p.m. The Children's Hour.

LUTHERAN SAINTS

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, Quadra and Balmoral. Sunday, 10 a.m. Sacrament. Sunday service, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. S.T.U.

LUTHERAN

Grace English Lutheran Blanshard and Queens. Matins, 11 a.m. Evening at 7:30 p.m. Sunday school, 10 a.m. Rev. Ernest Ingram.

Rose Lutheran Church, Newton and Shelbourne Streets. Sunday school 10 a.m.

SALVATION ARMY

Salvation Army Victoria West, Sunday. Children and Adult Bible classes, 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday school, 10 a.m. Sunday service, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Rev. Brian Peter and Adjutant Pearson Bond.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST

Seventh-Day Adventist, Bethel Services tomorrow: Sabbath school, 9:30 a.m. Worship service, 11 a.m. Young people's meeting, 7 p.m. Sunday, 11 a.m. Bible study. 8 p.m. Missionary Volunteer Offering at Midweek Lenten Lecture 8 p.m.

SPIRITUALIST

First Spiritual Temple (Church), 930 Balmoral. 1914 Broad Street. 7:30 p.m. Service. Mrs. Wolfenden, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Ward. Mrs. Wolfenden, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Ward. Wednesday, March 13, Victory concert and dance. 8 p.m.

At the Open Door Spiritualist Church, 735 Cormorant Street, 11 a.m. Service. Rev. Miller. "Spiritual Healing." Clairvoyance. 7:30 p.m. Service. Rev. Miller. "Your Guardian Angel's Work From Birth to Passing." Rev. Dr. Holden. Clairvoyance will be given at the close of both services. Thursday, 8 p.m. healing and message.

UNITED CHURCH

Brentwood Drive Church Admiralty at Lynn. Sunday school, 9 a.m. church service, 11 a.m. 7 p.m.

Lutheran

GRACE

Worship and Serve' will be the subject of the sermon tomorrow at 11 a.m. by the pastor, Rev. Ernest Ingram. At 7:30 p.m. the theme will be "The Contradictions of a Christian Life."

HOPE

Mr. Pfoinhauer will preach a song he will preach on "The Kind Lenten sermon on a text chosen from of Religion We Need"

Rev. Hugh McLeod

Who will be the guest preacher at the special services at Oak Bay United Church on Sunday in observance of the 21st anniversary of the church. His topic in the morning will be "Passing On The Good News," and in the evening the sermon subject is "The Centre of Life and Faith." The choir will be heard in a special program. A social gathering of the congregation will be held on Monday evening. Dr. H. A. McLeod will give a lecture on "Wishing and Fancies." A musical program will be presented and refreshments will be served.

United

FIRST

Rev. W. W. McPherson, M.A., D.Th., of the Oak Bay United Church will be the guest speaker at both services tomorrow. In the morning his theme is 'My Gospel,' and in the evening he will preach on the subject "Your Finest Hour." Miss Violet Gillham and Miss Kathleen Drysdale will be the singing and evening soloists, respectively.

METROPOLITAN

The minister, Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, D.D., will conduct the morning and evening services. "What God Has Joined Together" will be the subject of the morning sermon, the seventh in the series on the Ten Commandments. Mrs. H. C. Steed will take the solo part in the choir anthem and Miss Marion Mitchell will be soloist. Topic at the evening service will be "The Deeper Satisfaction." Miss Marion Inglis will be the soloist in the evening. A fellowship hour for men and women of the services and young people will be held in the schoolroom at the close of the evening service.

CENTENNIAL

Sunday school and Bible class will commence at 9:45 a.m. At 11 a.m. the minister, Rev. W. D. Ashbee, will preach on 'Be Ye Reconciled to God.' A song service at 7:15 p.m. will be followed at 7:30 by the sermon.

EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. W. L. McKay, B.A., B.D. Pastor

11 A.M.—BRY. H. W. KERLEY, B.A., B.D., "HIS Press."

7:30 P.M.—Subject:

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Sermon by Brother Kerley

See Separate Notice of Joint Services Ad

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9:45 A.M.—Bible School

11 A.M.—WORSHIP

7:30 P.M. MANNING'S HALL

THURSDAY 8 P.M. Midweek Service

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CHRISTADELPHIAN

ORANGE HALL

Fort Near Douglas

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Subject

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CHURCH OF OUR LORD

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CENTRAL BAPTIST

PANDORA AVE.

Pastor:

J. B. ROWELL

All Welcome

11 A.M.—THE UNTRAVELLED ROAD IN 'GOD'S TOMORROW'

7:30 — Song Service 7:15

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Central Baptist Church

TUESDAY, MARCH 12, at 8 P.M.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

QUADRA AND MASON STREETS

Minister Rev. G. R. Easter, B.A., B.Th., Organist and Conductor Mr. Oliver Brand

10 A.M.—Church School

11 A.M.—Morning Worship "CONFIDENT THAT THOSE WHO FALL" Solo "Blest This House" (Brier) Mr. F. Rowsey Anthem, "Heavenly Light" (Wolstenholme)

7:30 P.M.—Evening Worship. "JESUS ON HIGH SILENCE" (Sermon Based Upon the Closing Lesson Quarterly, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul. Meadows Duckworth and Bitten and the Moore Anthem, Anthem, "I Was Glad" (Wills)

Daylight—Normal at 7:30 P.M. The Metropolitan United Church Choir

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

DOWNTOWN—DOUGLAS STREET AT BROUGHTON

Minister Rev. J. L. M. McLean M.A.

11 A.M.—GRATITUDE AND THANKSGIVING

7:30 P.M. "WHAT IS THIS PRESIDENT"

Mr. Wolstenholme Tenors

VICTORIA TRUTH CENTRE

THE FORT STREET

Rev Emma M Bunley, Minister

Sunday—11 A.M. — "THE HEALING CONSCIOUSNESS"

Sunday—11 A.M. — Children's Church at the Golden Rule

Sunday—7:30 P.M. "THE CODE OF LIVING"

Tuesday—3 P.M. Healing Service.

Tuesday—8 P.M. Young People's Society

Thursday—7:30 P.M. Healing Service

ALL ARE WELCOME

EMPIRE MINISTRY

CRYSTAL GARDEN—SUNDAY, 7:15 P.M

Services Are Conducted by P. W. MacMillin

Subject: "TEMPORAL POWER

Music by Miss Ethel Jones

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EACH SUNDAY EVENING AT 7:30

Date	Subject	Speaker
Sunday, March 3—	"FIRSTFRUITS OF CHRIST"	Mr. D. S. MacGregor
Sunday, March 10—	"FIRSTFRUITS LIFE OF CHRIST"	Mr. P. G. Dickinson
Sunday, March 17 —	"FIRSTFRUITS DEATH OF CHRIST"	Mr. F. Bennett
Sunday, March 24 —	"FIRSTFRUITS RESURRECTION"	Mr. J. Jenner
Sunday, March 31—	"FIRSTFRUITS RETURN OF CHRIST"	Mr. R. L. Hamilton

Fellowship Morning Song Service Preceding Each Meeting

Everybody Welcome—No Collection

GLAD TIDINGS TABERNACLE

9:15 A.M.

"WINGS OF PRAISE"

7:00 and 7:30 P.M.

9 P.M.—Sunday School

"Take the School Out"

11 A.M. 7:30 P.M.

REV. DONALD H. FEE, of Port Angele

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Board of Health Budgets for $25,000 for Cancer Campaign

Coincident with demands by individual members in the Legislature that the incidence of cancer calls for financial provision for research and treatment, the monthly bulletin of the Provincial Board of Health, released yesterday, contains statistics showing cancer to be the second chief cause of death in B.C., eclipsed only by diseases of the heart and arteries.

The report states that, realizing the importance of furthering the work of cancer control, the board has included in its estimates for 1946-47, a special budget item of $25,000, to further this program.

Facilities in B.C. for treatment have been greatly improved through the purchase of a deep therapy X-ray unit by the Provincial Board of Health," the report says. "This unit has been loaned to the B.C. Cancer Institute, a voluntary organization subsidized by the board. Cases are referred to the institute through private physicians. Where it is impossible for a person to pay even a nominal fee to the institute, treatment is provided free, thus making treatment available for everyone. Treatment facilities are also available in the larger general hospitals throughout the province.

FEAR OF CANCER WORSE THAN DISEASE

"The very mention of the word puts fear into many persons," the bulletin says. "However, it is said that this fear of cancer is more treacherous than the disease itself for cancer can be cured; in fact, if prompt and proper treatment is sought and carried out, 70 to 80 per cent of all early cancer is curable by surgery, X-ray or radium treatment.

"The great hope of cancer patients lies in having treatment during the early stages."

On the basis of 7,862 cases reported from 1943 to 1945 inclusive, the board finds that 52 per cent of those concerned were males, and the remaining 48 per cent females. In 1945, 31 per cent of cases the disease affected the digestive organs and peritoneum.

Most susceptible age brackets were that between 60 and 69 years, 30.7 per cent; and that 70.2 per cent of all cases occurred between 50 and 80 years.

HARDER TO CURE IF BEGINS TO SPREAD

"When cancer starts to spread, possibility of cure is much less," the bulletin states. "Persons should become acquainted with the symptoms of cancer, and when they believe that they have any of these symptoms they should fill feel that they are doomed and become afraid to do anything about it, but should consult a doctor at once."

On "signs to look for," the bulletin makes the following suggestions:

"Change in color or size of a wart, mole, birthmark, lump, scab or any unhealed sore or irritated spot. Do not wait until pain is felt. Painless lumps or thickening especially in the breast or on the lip and tongue, are suspicious.

"Cancer on the inside of the body may often be known by signs before any lump is seen or felt. Persistent indigestion, constipation, prolonged hoarseness, coughing or difficulty in swallowing should be looked into.

"These symptoms may be the first signs of cancer, but on the other hand they may be caused by other physical disorders. Don't wait, consult your family physician at once. Get into the habit of having an annual physical examination."

Province Not to Buy Machinery From War Assets

Provincial Department of Agriculture won't buy any more second-hand machinery from War Assets Corporation after a most unhappy experience in the purchase of a heavy tractor, W. McGillivray, superintendent of the land clearing program, told the Legislature's agriculture committee yesterday.

Unable to get urgently needed machines elsewhere, the Department some time ago bought a D-8 tractor from War Assets for $7,300—and then had to pay out $2,700 to put it in order, Mr. McGillivray disclosed.

"That's typical of a great deal of machinery purchased from War Assets," he said. "I don't say they overcharge, but the machinery is sold 'as is,' and until you get a tractor into operation you can't tell what's wrong."

The department, he said, would not purchase any more second-hand machinery. He himself had always taken the stand that it should not buy if new machinery were available.

Rehabilitation Of Women to Be Discussed Here

Dr Olive Russell, executive assistant to the director-general of rehabilitation for the Department of Veterans' Affairs, arrived in Victoria yesterday to confer with local leaders on women's rehabilitation problems.

At 2.30 o'clock today she will address women members of Victoria Citizens' Rehabilitation Council.

She will be guest of honor at a luncheon in the Union Club, where hostesses will be Mrs. S. H. Okell, wife of Major Okell, district deputy administrator, Department of Veterans' Affairs; Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A., chairman of the Rehabilitation Council women's committee; Mrs. A. L. Spurgin, executive secretary of the Family Welfare Association of Greater Victoria; Mrs. F. Muirie of the City Welfare Department, and Miss Lorna Mess, who has charge of provincial social services.

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Births, Deaths, Marriages Gain

An all-round increase in births, deaths, marriages and divorces in British Columbia is revealed in the January report of the division of vital statistics. Births increased from 1,536 in January of 1945 to 1,549 in January this year, deaths from 862 to 918, marriages from 583 to 801, and divorces from 105 to 159.

Cases of infant mortality totaled 54, representing 34.8 per 1,000 live births and an increase of two over the previous January. Maternal mortality dropped from four cases in January, 1945, to one case in the corresponding month this year.

Victoria's January births, deaths and marriages totaled 171, 108 and 40, respectively.

In a provincial total of 2,424 cases of notifiable disease during the month, mumps headed the list with 452, influenza and chickenpox being next with 416 and 350, respectively.

WARRIOR NATION

Brazil is the only South American country which declared war on Germany in the Great War.

Tropical Par Racing Results

MIAMI, March 8—Racing results at Tropical Park follow.

FIRST RACE—Four and one-half furlongs.

Imperial Lady 20 10 11 60 40 40
Miss a Mark 4.80 3.60
Wan Gun 3.20
Scratched: Sweet Surprise, Bounding Kathleen, Mr. Perkins.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs.

Uncle Kriss 40.70 21.80 9.10
Sahib 8.10 4.20
Ring Bolt 7.60
Scratched: Vanner, Marvin Brigade, Pilot, Model Robert Allen.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs.

Miss Lashua 173.80 38.20 20.10
Lady Fancy 3.60 3.00
Ruth Ann 3.20
Scratched: Angelus, Magic Touch, Wise Child, Revaud.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs.

Paper Cup 317.80 80.20 20.80
Dry Chief 19.80 10.60
Chic Shaw 6.60
Scratched: Majors, Grand Dame, Grand Dame, Pachyzo.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs.

Brook 17.20 10.40 5.20
Sunbeat 3.80 3.40
*Dolly Dimples 3.20
*Marine Ape 5.00
*Dead heat for third.

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one-quarter.

Windy Air 19.10 20.60 60.60
Ocelot 10.80 7.80
Devina 4.80
Scratched: Bonnie Helen, De Bright Mr. Perfect, Gaiety, Tour Master, Pure Rose.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth.

Fenwick 11.80
Attachford 211.80 24.80 21.80
Wenonah 4.80 3.60
Transfer 9.60
Scratched: Fantasia, Caution, Jane Ann, Mr. Pitt, Cherry Wine, Morgan.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth.

Twelve Forty 317.80 80.20 40.10
Chalice 7.10 5.10
Star Time 3.80

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth.

Bracey ..... 118 *Pagrace 109
Ebro ..... 115 *Southern Lad 109
Shoe ..... 115 Crimson 112
Laird and Bee ..... 110 Jet Plane 112
Tinker Mommy ..... 108 Sunbeauty 112
Freedom King ..... 115 Midhill Lad 112
Ruthless ..... 115 Ruth Ann 112
Seven Pin ..... 110 Fanny 112

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs.

*Mercury ..... 111 Off Walkway 115
Poor Dean ..... 116 Problem Chaos 113
Sunbeat ..... 116 Ruth Ann 113
*In the Night ..... 114 Brigg 113
Pen Dragon ..... 108 Classland 112
Water Robin ..... 114 Rough Score 110
Bachelor ..... 117 Hard Rice 110
Mr. Perfect Teen ..... 113 Tyrosha 110

THIRD RACE—Four and one-half furlongs.

Nanimo ..... 110 *Aurimelo 110
Lemon Ice ..... 114 Dandy Boy 112
Ruthless ..... 114 *Tiburon 112
Proud Boy 111

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs.

Time T ..... 118 Sonic Cuddle 113
Tinkerbell ..... 118 Amphibious 111
Lady Ethan ..... 118 Ruth Ann 111
Liberty Twin ..... 118 Carnation 109
Count Jonas ..... 111 Copyright 109
Sun Angel ..... 109 Sharpshoot 109
Rachel ..... 107 Wise Parties 108
Bachelor ..... 107 Ebro 108

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs.

Twilight ..... 113 Vamalie 106
*Miss Tracy ..... 108 Mist a Golf 106
Nasty Bernard ..... 118 High Blow 106
Ruthless ..... 113 Sunbeat 106
Gypsylark ..... 113 *Jack Scarp 106
Metayana ..... 110 *Great Captive 110

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth.

Devastating ..... 120 *Gold Mine 110
Incredible ..... 108 Sirlotta 108
*De Bright Mr ..... 111 Albuite 108
Ocelot ..... 111 Lady Ethan 108
Devina ..... 108 Fridge 108
Marksman ..... 108 Compliance 108
Mr. Perfect ..... 108 Pure Rescue 108
Ocelot ..... 113 Bel Relish 108
Sub Mission ..... 113 *Great Surprise 108

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth.

*Gorilla ..... 117 *Mahal 110
Tarzana ..... 112 Jets Hundred 110
Bernice Bane ..... 112 *Neptune 110
Fairy Chantor ..... 112 Cherry Wine 110
Crystal Arrow ..... 112 Jet Club Jubo 110
Jesse Pal ..... 112 Bonnie 110
Fantasia ..... 112 Caution 110
Sara Farra ..... 112 Abercrombie 110

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth.

Fairbrown ..... 114 Coffee 110
Cavalotta ..... 114 Gear Ice 110
Ruth Ann ..... 114 Chemical 110
Bellamy ..... 109 Periscopic 110
Alta ..... 109 Ruth Ann Gear 110
Quiet Shot ..... 109 Big Alert 108
Birth of Peace ..... 113 Sumpsum 108
Flightness ..... 110 Thereso 108

Clippers, Royals To Meet Tonight On Nanaimo Ice

NANAIMO, B.C., March 8 (C)—Nanaimo Clippers, knocked out of the running for Memorial Cup playdown honors, will meet New Westminster Royals, of the Pacific Coast Junior circuit here tomorrow night in an exhibition fixture.

On the sidelines until March 22, when they open their Allan Cup drive, the Royals will be pitted against a strengthened Clipper aggregate. It is understood that Nanaimo will lice Bruce MacKay, Red Rutherford, army sergeant, together with Jack Kirk, former San Diego puck star.

K.V.'s Midgets Take Big Lead in Series

K.V.'s midget boys rangers, already holders of the Lower Island title, have the lifting laurels in their grasp following thelr 27-6 triumph over Alberni in the first game of the finals at the Up-Island centre on Thursday. Second game of the total-point series will be played here at a later date.

Teams and scores follow:

K.V.'s—Stewart 4, Howe (2), Hudson 6, Oakley 4, Hodges 7, McKinnel 2, Bamford 3, Firth, Watson. Total 27.

Alberni—McKinnon 2, Broughton, Spencer, Crutchley 2, McLean 3, Allen, Campbell, Rowland, Anderson, Peterson. Total 8.

MALE PREFERRED

The task of the male elephant is preferred to that of the female for commercial ivory.

According to Culbertson

It is an unfortunate fact that in order to investigate the full slam potentialities of a very strong hand we sometimes must jeopardize the game contract. Let's consider a typical case:

South dealer.
Both sides vulnerable

North-South 60 on score

NORTH
♠ 3
♥ 8 6 4
♦ A K Q 9 5
♣ 7 5 3 2

WEST
♠ 9 4 3
♥ Q J 9 5 2
♦ 7 3
♣ K Q 9 5

EAST
♠ 7 6 5
♥ J 3
♦ 10 8 4 3
♣ A J 10 4

SOUTH
♠ A K Q J 10 8
♥ A K 8 7
♦ J 6
♣ 8

When this deal turned up in an all-expert game in New York, South opened with one spade. West passed, and North made the normal response of two diamonds. After East's pass, South went into a long huddle from which he eventually emerged with a bid of three spades. West, of course, passed again, and now it was North's turn to huddle. He knew South was a sound and imaginative player; he fully appreciated that South had overbid the 90 score. Nevertheless and notwithstanding North decided that acceptance of the slam try with a singleton spade and no card as high as the ten in hearts and clubs would be sheer optimism, and with the rubber game in clear prospect, he mentally passed. Needless to say, the slam was there for the bidding.

It would be a brave player indeed in North's position, who would carry on beyond three spades. I do not say that a four-diamond bid would be out of the question; I merely insist that few, if any, of the masters would risk the call. This being so, it behooves us to consider whether South did his full part in investigating slam possibilities.

It is my opinion that he did not. The single jump in spades did not adequately describe South's power. For the one important thing, it could not fully reassure North concerning the spade suit itself. If, as was probable, North held a singleton, or even worthless doubleton, in that suit. A jump to four spades, well past game, was necessary to convince him that the spade suit, at least, needed absolutely no bolstering from him. Thus while this four-spade jump would have jeopardized the game if North's diamond response had happened to be shaded because of the score—a legitimate shading, incidentally—South should have taken that slight risk because of its far greater "informational" value.

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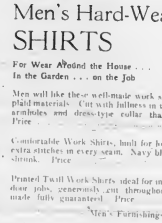

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SPORTS SLANTS

By SID THOMAS

SATURDAY MORNING PROGNOSTICATIONS

Toppers vs. V.M.D. — With the winner moving into the final against the Greenshields, today's Jackson Cup semi-final between Toppers and Victoria Machinery Depot promises to be a battle to a finish.

Brightbullers will be defending the trophy they annexed last season, and will find the youthful, aggressive Toppers quite a problem. Definitely an in-and-out squad this season, V.M.D. will have to be at their best to turn aside the challenge of the Toppers.

Joe Watt, popular manager of the Toppers, has every confidence in his young protegees in today's cup fixture, and while readily admitting the competition will be tough, we feel that Mr. Watt's confidence will not be misplaced. Toppers take this one by a singleton.

J.B.A.A. vs. Cadets — City senior Rugby champions will be crowned this afternoon at Macdonald Park when J.B.A.A. and Royal Canadian Naval College fifteens battling for the honors and possession of the Barnard Cup, emblematic of the title.

Boys gained the select bracket after disposing of the Victoria College juggers in a second-half playoff, while the future naval officers walked off with the initial half honors in decisive fashion.

Cadets will return to action today well rested and determined to regain prestige lost in four successive setbacks in league play. They will be battling in defence of the championship they won last season and will fight to the final whistle.

With their starry, well-experienced aggregation of oval ball handlers ready for action, Boys will enter the fray as favorites to take the match and the trophy.

However, we anticipate quite a battle with the greater experience of the Boys finally lifting them above the winning van. Our choice here is the J.B.A.A. by five points.

Canadian Legion vs. Cumberland —Manager Frank Kilbert's Canadian Legion boosters will be planning for their first Vancouver Island senior "B" men's basketball championship tonight at the Victoria High School gymnasium when they oppose Cumberland in the second game of the total-point series.

Playing at home last Monday, Cumberland gained a three-point margin of victory over the Legion roughs, attack, and will take the lead in tonight's contest. However, with the advantage of the home court, Canadian Legion should be able to wipe out this deficit and roll on to victory. Canadian Legion will take Cumberland tonight by at least seven points.

Woodlands Park vs. K.V.'s—International basketball returns to the High School gymnasium this evening with Woodlands Park, of Seattle, making their season's debut against the K.V.'s, local senior "A" men's aggregation.

We have many a word on the visitors, and therefore we are going to hazard a guess that the hustling young K.V.'s will climb aboard the winning van tonight. This is definitely a pick in the dark K.V.'s to win here by seven points.

Canadiens vs. Maple Leafs—Still clinging to their mathematical chances of gaining a play-off berth in the National Hockey League Toronto Maple Leafs will play hosts to the league-leading Canadiens tonight at Maple Leaf Garden.

Leafs have been doing quite well for themselves in their belated quest, but will probably find the shoes against the high-flying Frenchmen just a little too tough. Final score here: Canadiens 3, Maple Leafs 3.

ODDS 'N' ENDS —

Norm Parfitt, popular member of the **Canadian Legion** boosters, arrived back in town recently with his young **American** bride. A former member of the **Royal Canadian Air Force**, Norm was married in Chicago a few weeks ago. Here's belated congratulations from the sports department to **Mr. and Mrs. Norm Parfitt**. According to the grapevine, **Ross MacRae**, young Nanaimo pugilistic star, will join **Victoria Juveniles** for the Comox hockey playoffs . . . Golf matches for the city battery are attracting larger crowds each week, and as the weather continues to improve the gallery will probably increase. Betting of the racetrack variety that the champs of the spectators would like to see a winner, we would like to suggest to the officials of the **Victoria and District Golf Association** that if possible steps be taken to have the matches played to a finish.

The Tower of Babel, at the Chaldean city of Ur in Lower Mesopotamia, has completely disappeared.

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Barbara Mackay in Table Tennis Final

Meets Ruth Payne in Women's Singles Event—Champions Will Be Declared Tonight

Defending champions **Barbara Mackay** and **Len Butchart** reached the final and semi-final rounds in the women's and men's singles in the provincial table tennis championships, which conclude tonight in the north ballroom of the Crystal Garden.

Hard-hitting **Len Butchart**, of Chilliwack, survived a thrilling five-game battle with Victoria's Vesh Olson, 16-21, 16-21, 21-11, 23-20, 21-16, in the feature match of the evening.

Bill Cotton produced a big upset in the men's singles as he defeated Will Browne-Cave, 21-18, 22-20, 12-21, 21-14, after a good all-round display.

Stan Ngai displayed crushing power as he won in straight games from former city champion Vic Dale and Ray Dawson. Ngai will meet Barran in the semi-final, while Cotton meets Butchart.

Ruth Payne reached the final in the women's singles after a grand match with Georgina Wilson, winning in straight games. She will meet Barbara Mackay, defending champion, in the final.

Ted Pulcher smart Vancouver doubles veteran, teamed with Will Browne-Cave to score a major upset in the open doubles, downing Stan Ngai and Art Ngai, Victoria duo twice, champions, after a thrilling battle, 21-18, 22-20, 16-21, 21-16, 21-16.

Cotton and Walker upset the out-Victoria doubles team of Ted Dawson, 21-17, 22-21, 21-19, in reaching the doubles final. They meet the winner of Barran and Bennie and Pulcher and Browne-Cave.

Results follow

MEN'S SINGLES

A Barran defeated Ed Reed, 21-18, 21-16, 21-16.

L. Butchart defeated E. Walker, 21-19, 21-18, 21-18.

J. Hair defeated T. Derry, 21-7, 21-5, 21-12.

Ray Dawson defeated H Sinclair, 21-11, 6-21, 21-12, 21-17.

Vic Tully defeated Ted Pulcher, 21-16, 21-18, 21-12, 23-21.

W. Cotton defeated J Bennie, 13-21, 24-22, 20-21, 21-16.

C Ngai defeated F White, 21-10, 21-17, 21-18.

W. Bennie—Cave defeated J Hair, 21-15, 21-17, 21-16.

S. Ngai defeated V. S. Tully, 21-10, 21-14, 21-18.

Art Barran defeated C. Ngai, 21-8, 21-19, 24-22.

S Ngai defeated R. Dawson, 21-16, 21-14, 21-19

L. Butchart defeated K Olson, 16-21, 16-21, 21-11, 22-20, 21-13.

W. Cotton defeated W Browne-Cave, 21-18, 22-20, 12-21, 21-14

MEN'S DOUBLES

Hair and Mathesson defeated Cotton and Sendinone, 21-18, 21-15, 16-21, 20-22, 21-18

Cotton and Walker defeated Hair and Mathesson, 22-20, 21-16, 16-21, 16-21, 21-18

Pulcher and Browne-Cave defeated Art and S. Ngai, 22-20, 16-21, 21-16, 16-21, 21-18

Pulcher and Browne-Cave defeated Cotton and Butchart, 21-18, 21-19, 21-17

Cotton and Walker defeated Tully and Dawson, 21-18 22-21, 21-18.

Tonight's draw

7 00—Barran and Bennie vs. Pulcher and Browne-Cave. A. and S. Ngai vs. Cotton and Cotton.

Men's Singles Semi-Final

7 30—W. Cotton vs. L. Butchart.

Veterans' Singles Final

8 00—B. Mackay and N. Ley vs. Ruth Payne and V. McIvor.

Veterans' Singles Final

8 00 - J. Hair vs. T. Pulcher

Men's Singles, Semi-Final

8 30—A. Barran vs. S. Ngai

8:00—Men's Doubles Final

9 30—Mixed doubles Final; junior singles Final; senior "B" final, ladies' singles final; men's singles final.

Anglers Hold Annual Parley Next Thursday

Well over 400 members, ex-members and prospective members are expected to attend the annual meeting of the Victoria-Saanich Inland Anglers' Association, which will be held at the Bullermakers' Hall, 902 Government Street, next Thursday, commencing at 8 p.m.

One of the features of the annual meeting will be the appearance of Jack "Pinkie" Lillington, of The Vancouver Daily Province, a leading fishing and shooting authority.

Culminating a somewhat slack period in Chester Alexander, who was in charge of the membership drive, the association reported on the 1945 successful seasons in 1945, ending with a total of 443 senior and nine junior members.

Indications point towards an even bigger year in 1946, with a marked increase in the number of anglers and the return of fewer boat licenses. Resumption of the popular fishing Derbies on a large scale is also forecast.

Present officers of the association are Lee Hallberg, president; Jack Archer, vice-president, Alex Provan, secretary and Al Oxley, treasurer. Secretary Provan is now residing in Nanaimo and will be lost to the organization in the meeting season.

Racing Results At Santa Anita

ARCADIA, Cal., March 8 — Racing results at Santa Anita follow:

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs: Her El Cerado (Bunsell) $21 10 11 00 3.30
Jordan Jest (Jones) 4 00 3 00
Pawnee Lad (Gore) 13 10
Also ran: Jerry Jerome, Fortunate Fellow, Ma Perkins, Mr. Ed, Chief's Gift (Gomez), Pay Prayer (Mattiness).

SECOND RACE—Mile and one-eighth: Bernstein, Madness, Teach Me, Sir Gaylord, Ocarina.

THIRD RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth: Sage Counsel (Bailey) $ 7 00 3 60 3 00
Little Rose (Mehrtens) 3 40 3 00
Beal Benedict (Longden) 3 00
Also ran: Gallant Fox, Valgina Nonah, Sun Chief, Tom Boy.

FOURTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth: Ocala Boy (Longden) $7 00 3 60 3 00
Sunfloor (Gilbert) 4 00 3 00
Gallant Boat (Perkins) 4 60
Also ran: Bay Pilot, Valgina Nonah, Sun Chief, Tom Boy.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs: Fort Fox (Longden) $11 00 4 20 3 40
Sate Reward (Longden) 7 00 3 20
Flag (Gilbert) 3 00

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth: Ocala Boy (Longden) $13 00 4 60 3 00
Bernstein (Bailey) 10 00 3 40
Wrathian (Longden) 3 00
Also ran: Sunfloor, Overstake, Charging Boom, Schmitt.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-eighth: Bernstein (Longden) $12 00 5 20 3 60
Cargo Ship (Gilbert) 7 20 3 20
Never Bend (Jones) 3 00

Iceless Hockey Squad to Seek Further Honors

VICTORIA's iceless juvenile hockey club, having bundled their first bicycle by defeating Natalino to take the Island title, will leave for Vancouver today in quest of the Coast championship and the right to continue in the provincial title hunt. They meet New Westminster in the first game of a total point series at the Kerrisdale Park Arena tomorrow morning at 10 45 with the second game billed for Monday evening at 8 Past history of the individual players indicates an interesting sidelight with Pete Holding the only member of the club originally hailing from Victoria. Batchelorwan is well represented with three players white three learned their hockey in Alberta and two in Manitoba. Coach Paul Temple and President Doug Fletcher will accompany the team. The entire group, from left to right, are Les Aitken, Pete Holding, Dal Bertoni, Cy Blanpard, Bill Stephenson, Denny Prowse, Larry Gilchrist, Don Black, Loren MacConachie, Ray Woolford, Charlie Bennett, Les Cherry, Gene Gaven, Ken Lamb, Don Preston, Vancouver goaltender, who joined the club recently, is missing.

—Colonist Photo.

First Fiddle Favorite For Santa Anita Purse

Record Field Goes to Post Today in $100,000 Handicap—Expect Fast Track and Huge Crowd

ARCADIA, Cal., March 8 —(AP)— With despite Pari Middle the home to beat, a stupendous record field of 28 starters—three-year-olds and up—goes postward tomorrow for the ninth running of the $100,000 Santa Anita Handicap over a mile and one-quarter.

Twenty-six thoroughbreds were named through the entry box today but expected scratches may whittle the field to 22 by post time (4:30 p.m. PST). A handicap record crowd of 75,000 is anticipated, with sunny weather and a fast track. Previous record entry was 30 in the first running of the handicap in 1936.

Pari Middle, owned by the Ed Mihlstein, of New York, has ruled the steady Winter-book choice and probably will be the 5-2 favorite despite top impost of 126 pounds. The seven-year-old grey stretch runner, fourth on the all-time money-winning list, ran vault to second by nabbing the winner's purse of about $100,000 net.

However, the Middle, a notorious slow starter, drew a bad break in post positions, getting the No 2 stall, from where the starting inside will be terrific

More Fortunate was the divine Shine Boots entry of Mrs. A. L. Rice, of Chicago. Both fleet frontrunners who could go out and stay and never be caught. Shine Boots starts from No. 10 stall and Birdstone from No. 14. The Rice entry rates likely second choice.

From there on, the huge field is a toss-up, with Maine Chance's Santa Anita Derby winner, Stymie, down, perhaps the best.

The Maine Chance entry, about 5-1, will be out to put Mrs. Elizabeth Arden Graham ahead of Louis B Mayer in the 1946 money won standings.

Mayer leading Mrs. Graham by about $10,000, is pinning his hopes on Be Faithful, one of four female entries. The others are Casina, Happy Issue and Surosa, although the last is a doubtful starter.

Maple Leafs And Canadiens Will Battle

A battling band of Toronto Maple Leafs hockey players returned home from a vital Wednesday victory at Montreal, bagging the six-a-side hope of still reaching the National Hockey League play-offs.

Leafs now are four games back of Detroit and the fourth and last playoff spot. They have five games to go. So have Detroit. Two of these battles are between Toronto and Detroit.

It looks down to the fact that Detroit would have to lose all their remaining games and Leafs win all theirs if the Leafs are to get into the play-offs. But the Leafs are hoping the age of miracles is not yet past.

The finish for the Leafs starts with a home battle against the Montreal Canadiens tonight. The high-flying Canadiens now enjoy a three-point margin in first place over the Hawks.

If the Leafs vanquish Canadiens, the next stumbling block is the game at Boston Sunday. Then the Leafs play at Montreal next Thursday, certain Detroit a week from Saturday, and finish the schedule with a game at Detroit March 17, when the centre schedule comes to a close.

The Canadiens-Leafs battle at Toronto is the only game tonight. On Sunday, Detroit will be at New York and Canadiens will be at Chicago.

Cue Champion to Play in Victoria

GEORGE Chenier, Montreal, Canadian snooker champion, will play several exhibition games at the Northwestern Billiard Parlor on Wednesday evening. It was announced here last night. Play will start at 8 p.m.

Two leading local players, yet to be announced, will furnish the opposition for the Montreal cue artist.

Play in Important Games Today

VIC DALE — DENNIS SHERROOK

—Colonist Photo.

TWO versatile Victoria athletes who will be on the flying line today with their clubs engaging in a pair of important fixtures. Sparkplugging of the Canadian Legion senior "B" basketball club Dale will lead his team into action at the High School as they attempt to overcome a three-point Cumberland lead in the final game of the island title. Game time is 8 p.m. and the fixture will be preceded by an intercity attraction at 7:45 between the Woodlands Park five from Seattle and the senior K.V's. Shifty little right wing of the Toppers, Sherrook will get into action at Royal Athletic Park when the Cadets tangle with the V.M.D. in a Jackson Cup semi-final. Game time is 3 p.m.

City Fivepin Bowling Tourney Draw Released

City men's fivepin championships in the singles, doubles and all-events will be held at the Victoria Bowling Grove over the week-end. Players are asked to be on hand 15 minutes before the scheduled starting time.

Draw follows:

Sat. 2 p.m. Singles—Hirsch and Pedersen, Bush and Thomas, White and Depp, Fox and Fish, Cameron and Dunn, Chapman and Bishop, Hamilton and Morrison and Bilton, Wish and Oliver, Dyke and Dyke, Bowman and Bowman, Hamilton and Hamilton, Wilson and Wilson, Ward and Ward and Gray, Gibson and McKellar.

Sat. 3 p.m. Doubles—J. A. Hughes and J. Wall, J. Holland, R. Sargent, R. Grady, Cowan and Cowan, Fox and Fish, Dawson and Lowe.

Sat. 3 p.m. Doubles—Pedersen and Mary, Hirsch and Hirsch, Bowman and Bowman, Hamilton and Hamilton, Lee and Gunbanks, Bridger and Dingler, Brown and McBride, White and Depp, Thomas and Bush, Bilton and Bilton, Davis and Davis, Cameron and Dunn, Wilson and Wilson, Dyke and Dyke, McKay and Sanders, Boyd and Gough, Thom and Rayner.

Sat. 8 p.m. Singles—A. Sangster, J. Wallace, L. Coughlan, H. Cowell, S. Hirsch, J. Pedersen, R. Arthur, R. Hughes, J. Wall, J. Holland, R. Sargent, R. Grady, Cowan, A. Oliver, R. Dyke, R. Dawson, J. Lowe.

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Sat. 8 p.m. Doubles—J.

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Saturday Radio Programs

CJVI—590 kc.

8:00 News
8:15 Wake Up Time
8:30 Morning Devotions
8:45 Morning Melodies
9:00 B.B.C. News
9:15 Melodies for Rhythm
9:30 Jack Benny
9:45 Fred Allen
10:00 Valentine
10:15 Bob Crosby
10:30 Bob Hope
10:45 Mystery Theatre
11:00 Sunday Vespers
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2:00 Music Lovers
2:15 Music Lovers
2:30 Night Owls
2:45 Night Owls
3:00 Every Duke
3:15 Rugby Game
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4:00 Hill Club
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5:00 Jack Benny
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9:00 B.B.C. News
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10:00 Dance Time
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11:00 Sports Dance
11:15 Sports Dance
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CRB—2150 kc.

8:00 Piano at the Rice
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Sunday Radio Programs

CJVI—690 kc. CBR—1130 kc. KIRO—710 kc. KOMO—1000 kc. KTBR—825 kc. KOL—1000 kc.

Sunday Highlights

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42 POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK
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Temperance Delegation Asks Royal Commission on Liquor

Backed by a delegation of some 50 representatives of the United, Baptist and Presbyterian churches, the Salvation Army and the Women's Christian Temperance Union, the British Columbia Temperance League yesterday urged the Provincial Cabinet to appoint a Royal Commission on liquor.

After an hour-long discussion, the big delegation was assured by Premier John Hart that his representations would receive consideration.

R. J. McIntyre, general secretary of the British Columbia Temperance League, told the Cabinet it was reported that the Government proposed to appoint an expert to inquire into the Liquor Act, the liquor acts of other provinces and of some states and liquor conditions resulting from the operation of such legislation.

Such an inquiry, he declared would not be in the nature of a Royal Commission as requested by the temperance forces churches, young people's organizations and other groups of good citizens.

"We would request the Government of British Columbia to appoint a thoroughly judicial and representative Royal Commission to inquire publicly into all the facts which have a bearing on the manufacture, importation and sale of intoxicating liquors, the spread of the drink trade, the effect of the trade upon public life, the government, health, efficiency and welfare of the people," the delegation asked.

It requested that evidence before such a commission should be taken on oath and the facts published.

"We would strongly urge," it was further requested "that no piecemeal or ad hoc action be taken and no licence be granted and that there be no increased facilities for the manufacture, distribution or sale of alcoholic beverages in British Columbia by any action of our present of the Provincial Government until such commission has fully investigated and reported, and that adequate time be given before a plebiscite be taken.

NATURALISTS TO MEET

Annual meeting of the Victoria Natural History Society will be held in the Provincial museum Tuesday at 8 p.m. W. Downes will present an illustrated address entitled "Some Peculiar Insects of British Columbia."

Victoria College Students Inspect Brentwood Plant

STUDENTS of the Physics I class at Victoria College are shown here during the course of their tour of inspection of the B.C. Electric's steam generating plant at Brentwood Thursday. Fifth from the left in the picture is C. W. Woodward, assistant superintendent of the plant, explaining some of the intricacies of the steam driven generators to the students. Behind Twenty two students under their instructor, W. H. Hughes, took part in the inspection trip. They were conducted around the plant by Mr. Woodward and T. W. Walker, general superintendent of the plant. The party was accompanied by Dr. H. L. Ashby, A. Coward of the company's public relations staff.

In this picture part of the group is shown in the main control room of the Brentwood plant where Mr. Walker is explaining the function of the control unit. In the background, directly above Mr. Walker, is the master electric clock which regulates and controls the operation of all electric time pieces in the Victoria area and which, Mr. Walker explained, must be kept within five-second accuracy by the sustained flow of power through the lines.

Claim Cost of Land Clearing Too Heavy for B.C. Farmers

Terms under which the Provincial Government's land clearing machinery is being offered to farmers do not represent much if any financial assistance to them in the opinion of at least five members of the Legislature's standing committee on agriculture as expressed yesterday.

The committee passed a resolution recommending to the Government that credit should be extended over a period not exceeding 10 years, as against the present maximum of two years, and that terms should be arranged by the Government enterprise to conjunction with the local advisory committee and the landowner.

W. McGillivray, supervisor of the Government's land clearing program, told the committee that work could be done on an hourly basis. Proposed rates were $6 an hour for D-8 type machines, $7.50 for D-7, $6.50 for HD-7 or D-6 and $5 for D-4.

Farmers who could not pay cash for the work would be required to pay one third down, and the balance would be spread over two years, at 4 per cent interest. If farmers found themselves unable to meet these payments the balance would be charged as taxes, much in the form of an improvement tax.

NOT AT ALL WHAT FARMERS EXPECTED

That, said K. F. Rossland (C.C.F., Omineca) was not at all what the farmers expected. Their impression was that land clearing by the Government was going to be very cheap — not more than $10 a day, let alone $8 an hour.

"They can't begin to pay that amount," he declared.

J. H. Kyes (Coalition, Chilliwack) was of the opinion that the two-year agreed was not nearly long enough. C. W. Morrow (Coalition, North Okanagan) suggested that in such terms "the first thing you know we'll be having fire sales in the Province."

J. H. Corsbie (C.C.F., Peace River) took the view that the terms outlined did not offer any assistance. "You're merely pulling more machines into British Columbia, that's all," he asserted.

Mr. McGillivray, in answer to a question, said relative charges for work by private contract were $12, $10 $8 and $6 an acre, according to the land cleared.

He explained that it was the policy of the Government to make the machinery available for enlargement of existing holdings, not to bring new areas under cultivation. To a question by Dr. R. B. Laird (Coalition, Similkameen) as to whether returns whatever to break new land would get the machines, Mr. McGillivray replied that was a matter for the Government to decide.

ONE MACHINE FOR VANCOUVER ISLAND

The department's nine machines, Mr. McGillivray announced, will be allocated, one each, to the following areas: Vancouver Island, Bulkley Valley, Vanderhoof-Prince George-McBride, North Peace River, South Peace, River Kootenays, Shuswap, North Okanagan-Revelstoke, Okanagan-Admiral-Cariboo and Cariboo.

Fraser Valley at present has 85 privately-owned machines available for hire by said, and Government machines will not be available there for the present.

Farmer applicants will obtain the use of the machines on the recommendation of local advisory committees, which will also make recommendations as to whether credit should be extended to those unable to pay cash.

LIME AGAINST ACID

The use of lime to counteract an acid condition of the soil which is unfavorable to plant growth has been known since the earliest days of agriculture.

Announcements

A Juvenile Delinquency Note—Our law permits no Canadian judge or magistrate to order even a mild spanking for a young lad, no matter how many previous convictions he may have had. It is detention institution or prison, with its evil environment, or nothing. In England mild corporal punishment of juveniles is permitted and the problem there is well in hand. In Canada a terrible wave of juvenile crime is sweeping the land. Will those interested in seeking to have our laws amended along the English lines, as advocated by so many Canadian judges, kindly drop a line to P.O. Box 444, Victoria, and notice of meeting will be mailed.

Alcoholics Anonymous—Are you an alcoholic? Does liquor control you and cause you embarrassment, loss of friends relatives or position? There is a solution to your problem and if you really want help, the Victoria Group of Alcoholics Anonymous will give free and confidential assistance. P.O. Box 1, Victoria.

The Brentwood Scout Group Committee announces a concert by the Red Triangle Concert Party, followed by a dance at the Brentwood Women's Institute Hall Monday, March 25 at 8 p.m. Admission, 50c.

Dr. David Parfitt, Dentist, wishes to announce change of location from 304 Central Building to 440 Campbell Building. Appointments by phone Beacon 7948.

Dr. Ian Hamilton, formerly of Winnipeg, announces the opening of his offices for the practice of dentistry, 612 Blanshard Street. Phone B 1522.

Women's Canadian Club Bridge Tea at the Strand, Wednesday, March 27, 2.30 p.m. Tickets $1 at Scurrah's.

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Twilight Recital by Metropolitan Church Choir at First Baptist Church, Sunday at 3.

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Progressive 500, Oaklands School, March 11, 8 p.m. Admission, 25c.

Licence Rebate Costs $150,000

BRITISH Columbia's wartime 20 per cent reduction in motor licence fees cost the Province $450,000 annually, Hon. Herbert Anscomb, Minister of Public Works, informed the Legislature yesterday.

That annual sum was equivalent to the cost of hardsurfacing 75 miles of road. And it means a monthly saving of only 42 cents to the motorist.

City and District

Committee Organizes—An organizational meeting of the Legislature's committee on standing orders and private bills yesterday appointed C. W. Morrow (Coalition, North Okanagan) secretary of the committee.

Traders Called—Tenders are being called by E. S. Michell, city purchasing agent, for painting stalls and other parts of the City Market. Bids will be received at the City Hall up until noon, March 18.

Redacres Airport Project — The Victoria and District Zone Council, Canadian Legion, has written to the City Council urging that development of an airport at Gordon Head be undertaken "with utmost expediency" in the interests of all municipalities in Greater Victoria. The letter stated a resolution to this effect was passed unanimously at the last meeting of the zone council.

Estimates Approved—Estimates of the Victoria and District Zone Council, Canadian Legion, has written to the City Council urging that development of an airport at Gordon Head be undertaken "with utmost expediency" in the interests of all municipalities in Greater Victoria. The letter stated a resolution to this effect was passed unanimously at the last meeting of the zone council.

Waterworks Estimates Show Increase of Nearly $100,000

Estimated expenditures for waterworks this year total $200,880, an increase of $99,002 over last year, Minister of Public Works Anscomb, chairman of the water board, announced yesterday.

If the estimate is passed by the City Council it will bring to $455,880 the total amount to be spent on maintenance and improvement of the Greater Victoria waterworks this year, including $160,000 voted in a money by-law last year.

Main increase this year is an estimate of $100,000 for new mains compared to $15,000 last year. A plan for installation of these mains in Esquimalt, Victoria West and other sections has already been drawn up by G. M. Irwin, water commissioner. Some will replace present worn-out mains and others will provide new connections in the municipalities and in unorganized territories.

An indication that the water board continues chlorination probable is given by an estimate of $4,000 for this purpose.

Total of $1,200 has been set aside for installation of right drinking fountains. According to present plans, fountains are to be placed at Government and Fort, Fort and Douglas, Douglas and View. One is to be placed in front of the City Hall and another in front of the Public Library.

Ordinary salaries for maintenance show an increase of roughly $3,000, chiefly due to the appointment of an assistant water commissioner at $3,036, and some small increases in salaries.

Salary estimates total $33,136 compared with $29,784 for 1945. Office expenses show a decline from $1,200 for 1945, to $1,204 for this year.

Weather Forecasts

West and north coasts of Vancouver Island—Overcast, with light rain beginning before daybreak and becoming showery by Saturday night.

Northern Vancouver Island—Fresh southeasterly winds becoming strong early Saturday morning and fresh southwesterly by evening.

Vancouver and vicinity—Cloudy, becoming overcast, with light rain during the afternoon and evening. Mild. Light southerly winds becoming moderate.

Lake Sinclair—An official of the Pacific Pile Driving Company reported to city police yesterday that 1,000 feet of steel water-lines had been stolen from a vacant lot on Shelbourne street. It had been placed about six months ago.

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Keywords for the Day: Chance, news, surprise.

Saturday in General: Those who are adaptable, handy around home or office make swift progress now. Leaders, the boss may make news now or have something vital to say. Ideas gain attention. Expect the unexpected to happen some time this p.m.

If March 9 Is Your Birthdate: "Many happy returns." Famous persons born on this date include: Leland Stanford, founder of Stanford University, James W. Davidson, author and journalist, Henry A. Ward, scientist.

Your Year Ahead... A notable twelve months is forecast marked by some key developments in which elders you love play a part. Some of the year's most beneficial events are linked with your home or family affairs and there are surprising changes indicated.

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To Discuss Utilities At Film Forum Friday

The film "Valley of the Tennessee" will introduce discussion on public ownership of utilities at the Greater Victoria Film Council Forum in the council chamber of City Hall at 8 p.m. next Friday.

Two new films of general interest now at Victoria Public Library are "U.N.R.R.A.," which deals with the relief work being done in war-ravaged Europe, and "Roads South," presenting South America's transportation and communication problems.

Film showings for the week include: Saturday, Norman Bethune organization; Sunday, Technocracy Incorporated; Tuesday, Mount View High School and Saanichtown Association; Wednesday, St. John's Church; Thursday, Technocracy Incorporated; Friday, Film Forum and Junior High School.

Saturday, Inter-School Christian Fellowship.

Next meeting of Greater Film Council will be held at the Chamber of Commerce committee room on April 4.

LONDON (CP).—The Home Secretary has recommended a reprieve for Walter Purdy, 21, former junior engineer officer in the Royal Navy, who was sentenced to death at the High Bailey on December 21 for high treason.

Lions May Sponsor "Tin Lizzy" Races

Possibilities of holding a "tin lizzy" race July 1 at the Willows race track will be discussed at a meeting of the Victoria Lions Club next Friday noon at the Empress Hotel.

L. W. Taverner is chairman of the committee in charge of the arrangements. If such a project meets with approval of the club. With him are J. Roberts, J. Puller, George Raindall, Milton King, Alec Henderson and Milton Mooney.

Mr. Taverner claimed the lizzy races had been annual events with various Lions Clubs of other Canadian cities, and that at Calgary crowds of more than 17,000 had been in attendance. He explained that cars entering the race were usually sponsored by some business firm of the city, with an entry fee of $15. Money derived went toward provision of prizes.

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9 A.M. to 5 P.M.
Wednesday, 9 A.M. to 12 Noon

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Jumping up, sitting down, squirming around . . . a young man's suit takes a hard punishment! So it's necessary to choose one that can withstand an active man's requirements. And this is just such a suit because they're tailored for sheer wear. Rugby cut from sturdy tweeds and sewn and finished with an eye to standing hard constant wear . . . two pairs of pants add month-of extra wear. Three button single-breasted style in brown, blue or grey. Sizes 29 to 34.

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Neatly smart in appearance and made from wool tweeds that wear and wear! Single-breasted Chesterfield style with 2 pairs of short pants. Sizes 24 to 26 in grey, brown or blue **11.50**

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Well cut "Bedf" shirts with neat attached collar. Fancy striped patterns on blue, grey, fawn or green. Sizes 12 to 16 **1.65**

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Rough wool in V-neck style with long sleeves, in medium and large sizes in chocolate brown and green **1.95**

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Ribbed wool sweater in V-neck style in medium and large sizes, grey and brown with contrasting trim. Sizes 24 to 34 **1.95**

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Sanforized cotton socks with elastic top. Grey, fawn, brown striped patterns in size 8 to 10½ 3 pairs **1.00**

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A—Gay blue, white and red floral with dainty sheer trim. Sizes 4 to 6x **1.00**

B—A happy plaid gaily trimmed with rickrack and white collar. Sizes 7 to 10 **1.00**

C—Tiny wee roses on white! Square neckline outlined with red braid. Sizes 1 to 3x **1.00**

D—Bright blue for a bright-eyed Sue and dainty ruffles over the shoulders! Sizes 1 to 3x **1.00**

E—Bright plaid and scarlet combined and this gingham dog enough for a little girl's hankie! Sizes 4 to 6x **1.00**

F—Pique white scattered with red roses and trimmed with red braid and wee red buttons! Sizes 7 to 10 **1.00**

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C—Sandled strapped sandal in red, green or navy **3.45**

D—"Merry-May Creation" in ankle strap style with wedge heel. White or navy **3.45**

E—Sandals with pert bow on the toe and low heel in white, blue or black **3.45**

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